

WEATHER.

Probably fair Saturday and Sunday; not much change in temperature.

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AUSTRIAN NAVAL AEROPLANE SINKS FRENCH U-BOAT

Submarine Foucault Destroyed by Bombs in Southern Adriatic, Admiralty Reports.

ENTIRE CREW IS RESCUED

The Twenty-Nine Men, Many in a Drowning Condition, Picked Up and Made Prisoners.

Berlin, Sept. 22, (by wireless).—The French submarine Foucault has been sunk in the Southern Adriatic by bombs dropped from Austro-Hungarian naval aeroplanes, the Austrian admiralty announced today. The entire crew of 29 men were rescued and made prisoners. An admiralty statement issued today reads:

"An Austro-Hungarian naval aeroplane in the Southern Adriatic sank by means of bombs the French submarine Foucault. The aeroplane's pilot was Lieutenant Coley and the observer was Lieutenant von Kilmburg. The entire crew of the submarine, comprising two officers and 27 men, many of whom were in a drowning condition, were rescued and made prisoners by the naval aeroplane mentioned and by another piloted by Lieutenant Komjere and Cadet Severa as observer."

"Half an hour later the imprisoned crew was taken out by a torpedo boat, while the two officers were transported to land on the naval aeroplanes."

No French submarine Foucault is listed in available naval records. The craft sunk probably was the submarine Foucault, built in 1912 at Cherbourg. She was 167 feet long, 16.3 feet beam, with a speed of 12.5 knots above water and eight knots submerged. She was equipped with six torpedo tubes. Her complement is given as comprising 24 men.

The French submarine Foucault on January 14, this year, was reported in Rome to have sunk an Austrian scout cruiser of the Novara type in the Adriatic. On January 18 the Overseas News Agency, a semi-official organization in Berlin, reported that no Austro-Hungarian ship was missing and added:

"The Foucault must have sunk a ship of the Entente Powers by mistake."

REMARKABLE RECORDS ARE MADE BY NAVAL AIRMEN

Use Bombs and Aeroplanes Guns at Southern Drill Grounds.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 22.—Reports tonight from the Atlantic fleet on the Southern Drill Grounds, show that naval airmen, despite unfavorable weather conditions, today made remarkable records with bombs and aeroplanes guns, from flying boats at an elevation of 2,000 feet.

The two airmen, with gunners, ascended from the North Carolina carrying 12 bombs, small aeroplanes rapid fire and small arms. Nine of the 12 bombs were successfully dropped on targets, doing great damage. Paint marks on a canvas target, representing men, were hit by rapid fire guns, and sharpshooters. The tests are declared the best ever recorded, although the first of the kind ever held at sea by the American navy.

TEN PRIVATE BANKS CLOSE IN CHICAGO IN ONE MONTH

Spread of Alarm Causes State's Attorney to Issue Statement.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Spread of alarm over failure of private banks in Chicago tonight prompted State's Attorney Hoyne, whose announcement of an investigation was followed by the bank crashes, to issue a statement declaring that his office, up to this time, has not closed or ordered to be closed a single bank.

"This bank investigation was not initiated by me, but by the complaints of the depositors," Mr. Hoyne declared.

Chicago's tenth private bank within a month closed today. It was the Industrial Savings Bank, headed by Harry A. Dubla, president, which has deposits of approximately \$500,000.

PREDICTS PRICES OF CRUDE OIL WILL BECOME STARTLING

Says No Encouragement Can Be Offered Gasoline Users.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—A price for crude oil that will startle consumers was predicted by C. D. Chamberlain, of Cleveland, one of the 150 delegates to the annual meeting of the National Petroleum Association which closed its meetings here with a banquet tonight. "We can offer no encouragement to users of gasoline," Mr. Chamberlain said, "for the price of crude oil is increasing steadily and with the close of the war there will be an unprecedented demand for throughout Europe."

William Muir, of Titusville, Pa., was elected president.

DANIELS TO MIDDLE WEST

Will Leave Next Week on Speaking Tour of Three States.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Secretary Daniels announced today that he would leave Washington next week for a two weeks' campaign speaking trip in Michigan, Illinois and West Virginia. His exact itinerary has not been arranged.

AMBASSADOR PAGE AT SHADOW LAWN

Will Confer With President Today on British Interference With Trade and Mails.

IS DELAYED BY A WRECK

Mr. Wilson Desires to Impress Upon the Ambassador the Fact That Continued Interference Will Not Be Allowed.

Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 22.—Walter Hines Page, American ambassador to Great Britain, on his way here tonight to confer with President Wilson on British interference with American trade and mails, was delayed for two hours at South Amboy, N. J., by a freight wreck.

Because of the delay the President and the ambassador talked for only a short time tonight, but they plan to continue the conference tomorrow. The President expects to outline to Ambassador Page in detail the position of the United States government toward the British policy of interfering with American trade and mails, in order that Mr. Page may discuss the question fully with the British foreign office when he returns to London.

Mr. Wilson desired to impress on the ambassador the necessity of informing the British government that continued interference with the rights of the United States will not be allowed. The President is understood to take the position that the long delays on the part of the British foreign office in answering the protests of the United States government are intolerable.

Retailing features of the revenue bill passed during the last session of Congress were understood to be among the topics Mr. Wilson is expected to discuss with the ambassador. The general policy which the administration was said to continue pressing as vigorously as possible for changes in the British government's practice of interfering with American commerce.

Mr. Wilson's address tomorrow afternoon before a delegation of New Jersey men at Shadow Lawn will deal almost wholly with various aspects of the business situation as related to the policies of the administration. The public will be admitted to the grounds.

The President's speech will mark the opening of his "pork campaign" and a general policy which the administration was said to continue pressing as vigorously as possible for changes in the British government's practice of interfering with American commerce.

There were indications here today that after his speech tomorrow the President will be busy with campaign work almost continuously. Each week he probably will make one or more speeches either here or before non-partisan organizations in other cities.

PRINCIPAL OF MILITARISM ABOMINABLE TO PRESIDENT

Makes Himself Plain in Letter to Pacifist Organization.

New York, Sept. 22.—A letter from President Wilson, declaring that the spirit and principle of militarism was "abominable" to him was made public here today by "The Student Pacifists," an organization which is arranging an anti-militarist demonstration on September 30 in opposition to the state legislation requiring military training in public schools.

The President, after declining an invitation to speak, wrote: "There need be no misunderstanding as to my position. I have again and again made it as plain as language can make it. I am in favor of adequate defense and no more. The whole spirit and principle of militarism is abominable to me, and I do not think that anything that has been done has been done in the militaristic spirit. It has, on the contrary, been conceived and carried out with the single purpose of rendering the country safe against external dangers."

HUGHES CHALLENGED TO SAY WHAT HE WOULD HAVE DONE

Marshall Says Hughes' Election Would Give "Stand Patters" Control.

Richmond, Ind., Sept. 22.—Vice-president Marshall, in an address here tonight, issued a challenge to Charles E. Hughes, the Republican candidate for President, who spoke here last night, to say what he would do under the same conditions that confronted the Democratic administration. He also asserted that Mr. Hughes' election would mean control of the government by what he called the "standpatters."

The election of Mr. Hughes will put the government under the control of the stand patters, for the rule of seniority in the Senate will confer the chairmanship of the Senate committees upon such men as Boies Penrose, of Pennsylvania; Reed Smoot, of Utah; Warren, of Wyoming, and Lodge, of Massachusetts.

SHORTAGE OF 1,500 CARS

L. & N. Railway Ascribes the Shortage to Various Conditions.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 22.—As against a nominal shortage of 500 or 600 cars at this season, the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company reported a shortage of 1,500 freight cars for the entire system. The depletion in rolling stock was ascribed at the general offices of the road here today to various conditions.

Rumors were current that a much larger shortage existed, some of them running as high as 14,000. Railroad officials said the idea and said it was true the freight carrying division of the road, almost would be put out of commission.

TO MAKE SHIPPING MORE RIGID

Entente Powers Realize Depletion of Tonnage by Operations of Teutons' U-Boats.

LORD OCEIL'S STATEMENT

Says Reply to American Protest Against Mail Seizures Will Be Sent to Washington Almost Immediately.

London, September 22.—The continued depletion of the world's supply of tonnage as a result of the operations of the submarines of the Central Powers will be met by an increase in stringent measures by which the Entente Allies design to control shipping, so as to ensure it being used to the best advantage of the Allies and prevent it even indirectly aiding their opponents, according to a statement made by Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war.

Lord Robert admitted that even the present rate of destruction without considering the possibility of a resumption of unrestricted submarine warfare, meant a serious loss to the world's tonnage, and that, consequently, it could not be expected that British coal or other facilities should be expended on ships carrying goods to blacklisted firms. The Entente Allies will increase their shipping measures, which already are proving valuable in making the best use of available tonnage in proportion as the Germans succeed in destroying merchant ships.

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GREAT BRITAIN ALREADY HAS MODIFIED HER POLICY

Washington, Sept. 22.—Great Britain's delay in answering the American note regarding mail seizures, sent to London May 24, is believed by Allied diplomats here to be due largely to a desire to give first a practical working demonstration of changes recently instituted in censorship methods, notably (Continued on Page Eight)

LANDSHIP PLAYED BIG PART IN SOMME FIGHT

Tribute Paid Fighting Qualities of the "Creme De Menthe"

Press Representative at Canadian Corps Headquarters Says German Machine Gunners Were Found Chained to Guns.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 22.—Tribute to the fighting qualities of His Majesty's landship "Creme de Menthe" is given by the press representative at Canadian corps headquarters in France, in an account received here today of the part played by the Dominion's troops in the offensive of September 15. The assertion is made in the report that German machine gunners were found chained and padlocked to their guns.

"The morning of September 15 dawned bright and clear," said the messenger from the front. "There was a frosty nip to the air. Suddenly our massed artillery burst into a frenzy of activity. Shells of every calibre were hurled over the heads of the waiting infantry."

"Shortly after 6 o'clock our battalions began their attack. In successive waves our infantry men moved forward, climbing over the shell-torn ground and leaping the battered trenches. Among them burst the enemy shells. The noise was terrific. Machine gun and rifle fire poured into them. Steadily they mounted the last ridge, saw Martinpuich on their right and looked over to the brick ruins and white chalk mounds of the sugar refinery and the trenches to the right and left which were to be their objective."

"No sooner were the first lines of German trenches secured than the assaulting waves pressed onward. In their midst, moving ponderously, but steadily came sections of the new armored cars. His Majesty's landship 'Creme de Menthe' led the way and the effect was electrical. In vain the Germans rained a stream of bullets against the invulnerable cars, they were powerless to stop the advance."

"Although our infantry were the first to reach the sugar refinery, the cars assisted materially in silencing the German machine guns and enfilading the enemy trenches and the deep, strongly protected dugouts of the sugar refinery. Ten officers, including a battalion commander, were made prisoners. At the same time the trenches on either flank known to us as the candy trench, and the sugar trench were stormed and captured."

STRIKE IS CALLED BY EIGHTY UNIONS IN NEW YORK CITY

Next Wednesday Set for General Walk-Out in Sympathy With the Striking Car Men.

ABOUT 600,000 INVOLVED

Union Workers Say They Cannot Afford to Ride on Cars Operated by Strike Breakers.

New York, Sept. 22.—Organized workers in virtually every industry in Greater New York were formally called upon late today to cease work at 8 a. m. Wednesday morning in sympathy with the striking traction employees. Union leaders assert approximately 600,000 men and women are involved.

The call was embodied in resolutions adopted at a conference of labor leaders representing the federated bodies in all the boroughs of the city, as well as many national and international unions. Of the eighty unions in the city, represented, it was said some already had voted in favor of a strike.

The call, it was said, would be issued not only to organized workers in New York, but also to those in Westchester county, in which the cities of Yonkers, New Rochelle and Mount Vernon are situated, and would extend throughout a wide range of industries.

Decided by Unanimous Vote. "It was decided by unanimous vote by representatives of 80 unions in Greater New York and vicinity that there shall be a general suspension of all trades and industries in Greater New York and vicinity, the same to commence Wednesday, September 27, at 8 a. m."

Officers of the several international unions attended the conference. Mr. Francis X. New York state organizer of the American Federation of Labor, announced the determination to call the sympathetic walkout in the following statement:

"The Central Federated Union, Brooklyn Central Labor Union, United Hebrew Trades, Bronx Board of Business Agents, Manhattan Building Trades Council, International Tunnel and Subway Constructors Union, International Machinists Union, Stationary and Up-right Engineers and Firemen's Unions and the Electric Firemen's Union."

The call is based upon the proposition that union men "cannot maintain their self respect" if they ride upon cars operated by strike-breakers, according to a statement issued tonight by Ernest Bohm, secretary of the Federated Union. In cases where contracts exist, Bohm said, the employers will be notified that the workers have no means of transportation and if the employers cannot provide transportation the workers must remain at their homes.

"Union employees will not risk their lives by riding on cars operated by strike-breakers and protected by policemen," Mr. Bohm said. "Neither can they ride on such cars and retain their self respect as union men."

"The general tie-up will come because employees of union labor will not provide their employees with means of transportation to and from work to enable them to stay off the dangerous strike-breaking cars of the several traction lines."

SOME OF THE UNIONS THAT ARE INVOLVED IN STRIKE

New York, Sept. 22.—Following is a partial list of the unions involved in the call for a suspension of work: Milk carriers, barbers, waiters, beer brewers, house wreckers, musicians, barbers, cigarmakers, ladies' garment cutters, paper handlers, pipe caulkers and tappers, journey horse-shoers, telephone workers, glass workers, stationery engineers, car-makers, stationary engineers, carpenters, and others.

GUARDSMEN EXPECTED TO BEGIN MOVING TONIGHT

Morehead City, N. C., September 22.—Movement of North Carolina National Guard to the border is expected to begin tomorrow night. A complete supply of woolen clothing arrived in camp tonight by express and will be distributed tomorrow.

STATEMENT ISSUED BY RAILWAY HEADS

Explains Purpose of Investigation As Result of Problems Caused by Adamson Law.

WILL STUDY LEGAL STATUS

One Object is to Ascertain, if Possible, the Effect of the New Law as a Practical Operating Problem.

New York, Sept. 22.—A statement issued here today on behalf of the railway executives' advisory committee, representing the railroads affected by the Adamson 8-hour law, explained the purposes of its investigation put under way with a view to meeting the problems presented. The objects are "to ascertain, if possible, first the effect of the law as a practical operating problem; and, second, its legal status."

The first of these inquiries is being pursued, it was stated by the managers of the roads, through the National conference committee of the railroads, of which Elisha Lee is chairman. The study of the legal questions has been referred to the counsel of the various roads "for investigation and future consideration."

Meanwhile, the railway executives, it was asserted, will continue to take "a position squarely in favor of investigation before action" to prepare a way for the course the roads will pursue.

"There is today as there was on the day of its passage," the executives' statement says, "great concern and great dissatisfaction with the so-called eight-hour act, both in principle and manner of its enactment. There has been no change of feeling on these points nor, indeed, could there be, in the light of the facts."

There are various questions of policy, aside from those of operating or legal nature, which must be decided. If the railway executives, on advice of counsel, should conclude that the law is invalid or even unfair, they must consider what is to be their attitude in its enforcement. They must also consider their duty to the public in asking for an increase in railroad rates, as suggested by the administration. They must meet the question whether or not, under the so-called 8-hour law, they must require men who now work less than eight hours to give a full eight hours of service."

These and other questions of policy are all to be considered before decision or action.

OFFICERS ARE NAMED BY LABOR CONGRESS

Fifth Annual Meeting at Memphis, Tenn., Comes to End.

Wilson's Foreign Policy and His Action in Recent Railroad Crisis Approved—Wilmington Man State Vice-President.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 22.—The fifth annual meeting of the Southern Labor Congress was concluded here today, the closing session being marked by resolutions supporting the street car strike in New York, endorsing the proposed sympathetic strike of other unions there and approving President Wilson's foreign policy and his action when the railroad strike was impending recently.

Jerome Jones and W. C. Puckett, both of Atlanta, were re-elected president and secretary-treasurer of the congress, respectively. Carl Karatson, of Atlanta, was elected sergeant-at-arms and state vice-presidents were chosen as follows:

W. A. Davis, Roanoke, Va.; J. E. Wade, Wilmington, N. C.; C. M. Rhodes, Batesburg, S. C.; Putnam Dye, Memphis, Tenn.; W. S. Lopez, Birmingham, Ala.; W. D. Jackson, Little Rock, Ark.; W. S. Weir, Atlanta, Ga.; O. L. Jones, Paducah, Ky.; W. D. Lewis, Monroe, La.; and J. S. Morehead, Durant, Miss.

Resolutions in addition to those mentioned declared in favor of the 8-hour law and condemned business organizations which opposed it; denounced prison labor and the convict leasing system; opposed "piece work" in factories; proposed that news boys be made amenable to child labor laws and urged the enactment by the states of laws to govern the operation of employees at least semi-monthly and to prohibit the importation of men to act as armed guards during strikes.

The congress also went on record as favoring employers' liability laws; the absentee voters bill and "full crew" laws to govern the operation of both passenger and freight trains.

President Jones and Secretary Juckett were given a vote of confidence at the morning session by the adoption of a special committee which recommended that "any insinuations against their official integrity" were without foundation.

DOUBT THAT VILLA WAS IN THE FIGHT

War Department Officials Do Not Regard General Bell's Report as Conclusive.

ARREDONDO MAKES DENIAL

Mexican Ambassador Says the Attack on Chihuahua City Last Week Was by Combination of Antagonistic Juntas.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Whether Francisco Villa again has become a factor in the military situation in northern Mexico remained a question of considerable doubt tonight, despite nearly a week's effort by the State and War Departments to ascertain what part, if any, the bandit chief took in the attack last Saturday on Chihuahua City.

Secretary Baker let it become known that War Department officials do not regard as conclusive the report transmitted yesterday by Brigadier General Bell saying that Villa led the Chihuahua City attack in person, and the Mexican embassy announced receipt of official advice declaring Villa was not in the attacking force. The embassy's report came from General Trevino, commander of the attacked garrison.

"The resurrection of Villa is not true," said Ambassador Arredondo tonight. "The attack on Chihuahua City was made by a combination of juntas antagonistic to the de facto government."

Mr. Arredondo's belief that the attack was the work of the followers of several leaders is shared by many army officers. As time passes without verification of reports of Villa's presence at Chihuahua City officials here are inclined to believe that the incident will not figure materially in the deliberations of the American-Mexican commission at New London. Mr. Arredondo was at the State Department today on business in connection with the commission, having become necessary to select a new meeting place, as the New London hotel where sessions are being held, will close soon for the season.

BELL CONFIDENT THAT HIS INFORMATION IS ACCURATE

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 22.—"I am confident that my information regarding Villa's attack on Chihuahua City is accurate, therefore I do not see that any further investigation is necessary," my part," was General Bell's comment tonight on being informed that he had been invited by General Trevino to send a special agent to Chihuahua to ascertain the facts.

"The truth is," General Bell continued, "General Trevino is up against a fact that cannot be explained away. He was caught napping by Villa. A soldier has an excuse for getting whipped but he has no excuse for being caught on his guard. The result is he finds he must make extreme claims to clear his reputation as a soldier."

"As the result of further investigation on account of the Chihuahua City battle compared to my superiors has been, in my belief, absolutely confirmed. I stand by it and have no desire to carry the matter further."

JOINT COMMISSION ADJOURNS FOR RECESS OF A FEW DAYS

New London, Conn., Sept. 22.—The American-Mexican joint commission, trying to find an effective and mutually satisfactory plan for the maintenance of peace on the border, adjourned today for a recess of a few days. The appearance of Villa forces at Chihuahua and the possibility that General Carranza's army may encounter fresh difficulties in dealing with bandit organizations on the frontier were again the basis for most of the discussion at the conference today.

The Mexican representatives listened to the report from General Bell, at El Paso, forwarded to the American commission, but from official sources in Mexico no news of Villa's activities was received.

CASE OF BRITISH STEAMER KELYVIA IS DISPOSED OF

British Admiralty Convinced the Ship Was Sunk by a Mine.

Washington, Sept. 22.—The case of the British steamer Kelyvia, under investigation by the State Department since she was sunk September 2, while en route from Newport News to Glasgow with 28 Americans aboard, was disposed of today by receipt of an official notification from the British admiralty saying the London government was convinced the vessel was destroyed by a mine.

Some American militiamen on the ship had expressed the opinion that she was struck by a torpedo. A number of affidavits had been collected by the department, but its investigation had not reached the point of a formal inquiry to the Teutonic Powers.

PATRIARCHS MILITANT BALL CLOSING THE ANNUAL SESSION

Prizes Distributed at Odd Fellows' Meeting at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 22.—The annual Patriarchs Militant ball here tonight was the final event on the programme of the 43rd annual session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F., which adjourned here today. Detroit teams won the \$800 first prize for the competitive drills in the first classification and also first prize in the second classification. The department of Ohio won the prize for having the largest number of swords in line. Magnolia Rebekah lodge, of Fort Worth, Texas, was awarded \$200 for the highest score in degree work.

ALLIED OFFENSIVE IN SOMME REGION IS AGAIN RESUMED

British Strike Towards Bapaume, While the French Are Fighting Around Comblès.

BOTH FORCES MAKE GAINS

Reports From Opposing Sources Regarding Battles in the East Are Conflicting

On the Somme front in France, the French and British forces again have taken the offensive and been rewarded with additional gains. General Haig's men made progress toward Bapaume, while General Foch's soldiers, who apparently have begun another effort to eject the Germans from Comblès and its salient in the Entente line north of the Somme, also met with success.

After checking of German attacks southeast of Comblès, between LePrieux Farm and Rancourt, the end of the French part of the Entente line which almost encircles the town, the French undertook local operations on the outskirts of Comblès itself. An organized and defended house was captured and several trench elements were occupied. In these enterprises 140 prisoners were taken.

British Straighten Line. General Haig's troops straightened out their line between Martinpuich and Fiers, a distance of about one mile, by taking two lines of German trenches. The British front there now runs on a direct line north of the two villages. London also records improvement of the positions of the British front.

It is announced officially in Paris that the number of prisoners taken by the Anglo-French forces on the Somme from July 1 to September 18 amounted to more than 55,000. Of these 24,000 fell in the hands of the French. Berlin reports no activity on the whole at the western front.

Conflicting Reports. German and Rumanian reports as to the progress or result of the battle in Dobruja conflict. In contradiction of the announcement from Bucharest that the forces of the Central Powers were falling back, Berlin declares that Field Marshal von Mackensen, has, by an encircling movement, broken the resistance of the Rumanians and Russians and compelled them to retreat. Berlin says strong Rumanian forces were repulsed southeast of Toprali, 14 miles southwest of Constanta, on the Black Sea coast.

Admit a Reverse. Berlin and Vienna admit a reverse in the Carpathians in the Russian capture of the summit of Smotret height, which previously had changed hands many times, but declare Russian attacks in Volhynia and southern Bukovina were checked. West of Lutsk, in Volhynia, the Germans again repulsed Russian attacks, capturing 750 prisoners and several machine guns, according to Berlin. In Galicia, north of Zboroff and in the region of Dorna Watra, on the border of Bukovina and Rumania, were frustrated.

Serbian and French troops continue to make progress in northwestern Macedonia. The Serbians are advancing in the Broda river region and the French are pushing forward north of Florina toward Monastir. A Bulgarian attack of Zboroff was checked by the Entente forces. Berlin and Sofia report no activity in Macedonia.

Entente Transport Sunk. An Entente transport and a French submarine have fallen victims to a German submarine and an Austro-Hungarian aeroplane, respectively. The transport, reported by Berlin as "completely filled," was sunk in the Mediterranean. The submarine, an Austro-Hungarian aeroplane, was checked by the Entente forces. The 29 members of the crew were rescued and made prisoners.

London reports that a German seaplane dropped three bombs on Dover, England, Friday. No casualties resulted. British warships have bombarded Bulgarian positions near the mouth of the Struma river in Macedonia.

HUGHES REACHES SOUTH BEND ALMOST MINUS HIS VOICE

Although Utterly Weary He Makes Most Important Speech of Day.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 22.—Charles E. Hughes reached South Bend tonight at the age end of his busiest day, almost minus his voice. He spent it in 13 speeches along the way and talked to his audience here tonight at times in a hoarse whisper. Utterly weary and travel stained, the nominee faced a large audience here and made his chief speech of the day.

At most of the places reached today it had been arranged that the nominee would say only a few words, but the his crowd's hearty greeted him with cheers and applause every few miles heartened him and he talked at length.

SAY EPIDEMIC IS OVER

Officials Say There Is No Danger of Recurrence of Paralysis

New York, Sept. 22.—The epidemic of infantile paralysis in this city was declared tonight by health department officials to be at an end and a danger of a recurrence of the plague has passed, members of the department who have been detained here all summer, will start on their vacations, beginning tomorrow.

THE TALK OF THE TOWN

The Great Furniture Closing Out Sale at The Wilmington Furniture Co.'s Store in the Garrell Building, 2nd and Princess Sts.

We intend to make today (Saturday) a Red Letter Day in Furniture Bargains. ¶ If interested in buying Furniture and House Furnishings for Cash come and see our unequalled bargains. It will pay you to buy now and hold until you need to use it. ¶ A surprise in store for every one who visits the sale today. ¶ Just Take a Look; that is all we ask. The values will speak for them.

Don't Buy Until
You Get Our
Prices.

THE WILMINGTON FURNITURE COMPANY

GARRELL BUILDING SECOND AND PRINCESS STREETS

P. S.—IF YOU WISH TO MEET
YOUR FRIENDS TODAY, DON'T
LOOK ON THE STREETS FOR
THEM. COME TO THIS SALE.
THEY WILL BE HERE.

Baseball
Boating
Yachting
Angling

SPORTS

Motoring
Aeronautics
Tennis
Golf, Etc.

GIANTS TAKE THEIR 17TH STRAIGHT GAME

The Cubs Are Shut Out With Seven Scattered Hits.

Phillies Win From the Pirates Seven to Four—Reds Again Win From the Braves—Superba Defeat the Cardinals.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Philadelphia 7; Pittsburgh 4.
At Boston 5; Cincinnati 8.
At New York 8; Chicago 6.
At Brooklyn 11; St. Louis 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Cincinnati at Philadelphia (2 games).
Pittsburgh at Boston.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at New York.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	86	55	.610
Philadelphia	83	57	.593
Boston	78	58	.573
New York	76	62	.553
Pittsburgh	65	79	.451
Chicago	63	81	.439
St. Louis	60	85	.414
Cincinnati	57	89	.390

New York, Sept. 22.—New York today equalled its straight winning streak of last May, defeating Chicago 5 to 0 and scoring its 17th consecutive victory. Salley, who had been ill for several weeks, shut out Chicago with seven scattered hits. Perry, a Southern Association recruit, was hit hard. Chicago 000 000—0 7 2
New York 002 101 108—5 10 0
Perry, Prindergast and Wilson; Salley and Rariden; Kocher.

Boston, Sept. 22.—Cincinnati made a clean sweep of the three game series with Boston taking the final game 9 to 5 today. Nehf was hit hard and was poorly supported. Cincinnati 103 000 400—3 13 2
Boston 100 020 002—5 9 5
Knetser and Huhn; Nehf and Blackburn.

Philadelphia, Sept. 22.—Philadelphia today made good use of nearly all its hits and took advantage of Pittsburgh's errors and won 7 to 4. The visitors outbatted the home team but had 14 men left on bases as against two for Philadelphia. 000 016 111—4 15 2
Philadelphia 200 031 106—7 10 0
Jacobs, Evans, Harmon and Fischer; Mayer and Killifer.

Brooklyn, Sept. 22.—Brooklyn made its three straight from St. Louis by winning the last game of the final series today, 11 to 1. The season's record between the clubs is: Brooklyn, 15; St. Louis, 7.
The contest was a farce because of the free hitting of the league leaders and Meadows' wildness. Warmouth pitched the last two innings and yielded eight hits and four runs.
St. Louis 000 000 001—1 6 3
Brooklyn 010 025 22—11 12 0
Meadows, Warmouth and Brotten; Gonsales; Marquard and M. Wheat, Meyers.

SMALL BUT HIGH-CLASS FIELD TO ENTER LOUISVILLE RACE

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 22.—A small but high class field will start in the fourth renewal of the Louisville cup for three year olds and upward, at two miles, at Douglas Park, here tomorrow. Of the 24 horses nominated for this event, not more than six are expected to go to the post. Three may be from the stable of A. K. Macomber, whose eligibles are Star Hawk, Dodge and Hank O'Day. Star Hawk appears to be the public choice.

MINOR LEAGUES.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
At Louisville 3; Columbus 2.
At Toledo-Indianapolis, rain.
At Milwaukee 2; St. Paul 7.
At Kansas City 6; Minneapolis 17.

THE BATTING LEADERS.

Only three of the eight leading batters in the major leagues gained ground by Friday's play. Daubert, Hornsby and Hinchman each gaining two points. Though both Daubert and Hornsby made two hits in three trials, the St. Louis player broke the tie for third place by .0001. Wheat did not play.

Speaker was the only leader in the American League to get a hit, making one in four times up. Cobb failed in two attempts and Jackson in four. The standings:

American League	AB	H	PC
Speaker	520	201	.387
Cobb	514	185	.360
Jackson	665	194	.294

BRAVES VIRTUALLY HAVE NO CHANCE TO GET PENNANT NOW

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Today's results in the National League just about sounded the death knell of whatever slim hopes Boston had of winning the pennant. The Hub's representatives lost while Brooklyn and Philadelphia won and Boston now is five and one-half games behind the leader—a margin practically impossible to overcome in the 17 games Stallings has yet to play. Brooklyn is two and one-half games ahead of Philadelphia. The standings:

National League	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	84	55	.604
Philadelphia	82	57	.593
Boston	78	58	.574

All three leaders won in the American League and their relatives standing remained the same—Boston in first place, two and a half games ahead of Chicago, with Detroit in third place three games behind the Champions. The standings:

American League	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	84	55	.604
Philadelphia	82	57	.593
Boston	78	58	.574

Other big teams, including Yale, Pennsylvania, Cornell and Princeton, have selected later dates for their opening skirmishes. A majority of them are already well advanced in practice routine.

RAIN PUTS STOP TO RACING ON THE TRACK AT COLUMBUS

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 22.—Though there were but three class races on this afternoon's programme of Grand Circuit racing, it was impossible to finish one of the events, as rain put the track out of condition. The race, in which Judge Ormonde and Barlight each have two heats, will be resumed tomorrow afternoon. This race was bitterly fought in the third heat. Barlight had won first two from Auto Zombro before the judges took a hand. Prior to the third mile, they put Dick McMahon up behind Auto Zombro and warned Valentine that he must try to win with Judge Ormonde. Auto Zombro broke and dropped out of the fight that lasted to the very finish with Fred Russell noosing out Judge Ormonde in 2:08 1-4.

WILL REPRESENT CHICAGO ASSOCIATION AT STOCKHOLM

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Andy E. Ward, the sprinter, who won the junior and senior 100 and 220 yard national championships last week at Newark, N. J., was elected today by the Chicago Athletic Association as its representative at the Stockholm games to be held next month. Ward, in company with George G. Loomis, Ted Meredith, Bob Simpson and Fred Murray, will sail from New York September 26.

TIGERS WIN VICTORY OVER THE SENATORS

Red Sox Increase Their Lead by a Single Point.

Easily Win From the Indians—White Sox Take First of Series With Yankees—Phillies Lose to the Browns.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Chicago 6; New York 2.
At Cleveland 1; Boston 4.
At Detroit 6; Washington 5.
At St. Louis 8; Philadelphia 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
New York at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Washington at Detroit.
Boston at Cleveland.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS	W	L	Pct.
Boston	85	59	.590
Chicago	84	63	.571
Detroit	84	64	.568
New York	75	69	.521
Cleveland	76	71	.517
St. Louis	76	72	.513
Washington	71	73	.493
Philadelphia	63	111	.359

Detroit, Sept. 22.—Detroit broke its losing streak today, defeating Washington 6 to 5. Thomas, a left handed recruit pitcher from Des Moines, was effective against the home team until the seventh inning, after which Detroit hit him freely. Ayres relieved him in the ninth.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Chicago bunched hits off Morbridge today and won the first game of the farewell series with New York 6 to 3. Clotte was hit hard, but lightened up in the pinches. The locals failed to gain on the world's champions today but remained in the pennant race. They still are 2 1-2 games behind the leaders.

Frank Baker, who is tied with Pipp for home run honors in the American League, made his first triple of the season today.

Pitcher Cullip, the star of Donovan's twirling staff, is confined at a hotel with a cold and will be unable to play in the series here, it was said.

New York 100 100 100—3 11 1
Chicago 310 001 10—5 12 3
Morridge, Fisher and Alexander; Clotte and Schalk, Lapp.

Cleveland, Sept. 22.—Boston won 4 to 1 today from Cleveland in a pitchers' battle between Shore and Bagby, the former allowing but three hits while only five were made off Bagby. Only one hit of the eight registered by the two teams was wasted.

With two out and the bases filled in the eighth, Speaker hit what looked to be a double against the right field wall, but the heavy gale caught the ball and blew it back allowing Hooper to catch it just inside the wall.

Boston 020 000 002—4 5 0
Cleveland 000 100 000—1 3 1
Shore and Cady; Bagby and DeBerry, O'Neill.

St. Louis, Sept. 22.—St. Louis rallied in the eighth today, scoring four runs, beating Philadelphia 6 to 5 and moved into fifth place, Cleveland having lost to Boston. In the eighth inning Hornsby atted for Hartley and tripled, scoring Pratt and Marzans. He scored himself when Lavan singled. Lavan scored all the way from first while Haley was throwing out Plank at first.

FARMING OPERATIONS BELOW THE AVERAGE

Conditions in Carolina Reviewed by Commissioner Shipman.

Bank at Gibson Chartered and Charters of Two Others Amended—Death Sentence Imposed for Arson.

(Special Star Correspondence).
Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 22.—That farming operations are not up to the average in North Carolina this year is the finding of Commissioner of Labor and Printing M. L. Shipman in the agricultural section of his annual report for this year, just completed for the printers.

The report says that the weather conditions in the spring operated to retard planting, and then continued cool and unseasonable weather operating to hinder growth and development. Later in the year, the report says, disastrous floods in Western Carolina wiped out a large percentage of the growing crops in that section and the result by overflood much of the production in the low lands along streams fed by the mountain water sheds. Continuing, the report says:

"Farm products have steadily increased in price with good prices for cotton, corn and wheat, and the demand for truck and by-products has been such as to make any produce suited to this section profitable. It is a matter of regret that it is necessary to have shipped into the local markets fruits, berries and vegetables at times when home grown like products should be available. This also applies to pork and beef products, butter and eggs. There are times when it is almost impossible to secure either of these articles except from cold storage. While poultry always commands good prices there are frequently times when it is impossible to procure poultry of the home grown variety at any price."

New Bank Chartered.
One new bank and amendments for two others were the record of charters and charter amendments today in the office of the Secretary of State. The Carolina Bank of Gibson, was chartered with \$100,000 capital authorized and \$10,000 subscribed by W. H. Sanders, L. L. Gibson and others for a general banking business.

The Bank of Pamlico, at Boyboro, amends its charter so as to authorize the establishment of branch banks. J. W. Swann is the president of the corporation.

An amendment for the charter of The Citizens Bank of Gates, Gatesboro, provides simply for the elimination of "The" from the charter name of the corporation. R. W. Gatling is president of the bank.

Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young said today that the conviction of W. L. Walker here for the burning of his suburban store to collect the insurance makes the 18th conviction department representatives have secured for burnings during the year. The three years sentence that Judge Bond imposed is satisfactory to the Commissioner.

Death Sentence for Arson.
In the case of Wesley Clark, at Tarboro, convicted a few days ago of arson in setting fire to a dwelling while a man and his wife were asleep in the building, a sentence of death has been imposed and indications are that there will be no executive clemency. However, Chief Justice Clark is manifesting an interest in the case, the prisoner having been a laborer on his plantation.

A call has been issued for the directors of the North Carolina Soldiers' Home to meet at the home next Tuesday, September 26, for the specific purpose of electing a superintendent to succeed Superintendent Lineberry, who resigned some weeks ago, effective as soon as a successor could be chosen.

Captain Lineberry will return to his Rowan county plantation, a change he has been anxious to make for quite a while.

CHARLOTTE LOSES SECOND GAME TO NEWPORT NEWS

Newport News, Va., Sept. 22.—Newport News today took the second game of the Virginia-North Carolina championship series from Charlotte, N. C., by a count of 4 to 4. The visitors were outclassed in every department of the game, although sensational fielding saved Voss several times.

MORE STUDENTS THAN EVER

Bule's Creek Academy Has Fine Opening—Dr. Burroughs Coming.

Bule's Creek, N. C., Sept. 22.—Bule's Creek Academy had the finest opening in its history. The enrollment is thirty-five larger than for same date last year, representing fifty-five counties, three States, Cuba, China and South America. Outside of Harnett county, Johnston has the largest representation with 23, Sampson is next with 19, Robeson has 17, Wake 12, Chowan 11, Cumberland 11.

At the beginning of the term an anti-cigarette club was organized, most of the students joining and pledging themselves not to use cigarettes of any sort. On Monday morning of this week there were only six students who had not joined the club. This morning at chapel these joined. Three cheers for the Bule's Creek boys were proposed and they were given with enthusiasm.

Dr. Prince E. Burroughs, Nashville, Tenn., will begin a series of meetings here September 29. Every furnished room in the girls' dormitory is occupied, including three furnished this term. There is room for six more girls when furniture is secured.

FINAL GAMES TODAY

Double Header Will Terminate City League Season.

Barring a tie, the final drama of the City League season, will be staged at the Robert Strange playground this afternoon. The Giants are slated to bat the iron men stout today, and will battle with both the Immanuel and the W. L. I.

Should this aggregation win both ends of this argument, they will have the 1916 pennant flapping from their pole without dispute, but should they drop one, then there is going to be some more scrapping. A victory for the W. L. I. will make the soldiers champs, while a defeat for them, and a victory for the Immanuel will tie all four teams in a perfect sailor's knot.

Yates and Register will probably hurl for the Giants, while Green of the W. L. I. and Jacobs of the Immanuel will be their opponents. The first game will be called at 3 and a big crowd is expected.

CEDAR TO BE REMOVED FROM BALD HEAD ISLAND AT ONCE

W. H. Walton Arrives to Take Charge of the Operations.

Southport, N. C., Sept. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walton, of New Jersey, have arrived in their yacht Crusier del Sur, a Spanish name which is translated, "The Southern Cross," says the Southport News.

Mr. Walton is in charge of the company which will begin operating at once in removing the cedar timber from Palmetto Island, more familiarly known as Bald Head. There is quite a valuable tract of this timber and its removal will require a year or more with a good force of hands.

The cedar will be shipped from here in log form to be cut by the mills to which it is sold. The first shipments will be brought to Southport and sent out by rail, but when operations get fully under way Mr. Walton will ship direct by schooners.

Report of the Condition of THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK,

at Wilmington, North Carolina, at the Close of Business September 12th, 1916.

RESOURCES:
Loans and Discounts . . . \$1,112,817.88
Stocks and Bonds . . . 14,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures . . . 48,000.00
Trust Investments . . . 43,147.00
Demand Loans . . . 129,175.54
Cash on Hand and Due from Banks . . . 121,693.00
Total \$1,478,834.42

LIABILITIES:
Capital Stock Paid In . . 68,000.00
Undivided Profits . . . 115,394.22
Dividends . . . 52.50
Reserve for Dividend October 1st, 1916 . . . 1,950.00
Accrued Interest Due Depositors . . . 8,500.00
Cashier's Checks outstanding . . . 259.33
Deposits 1,287,436.77
Total \$1,478,834.42

FAST HORSES IN SAMPSON

Getting Ready for Fall—Revival in Baptist Church Next Week.

(Special Star Correspondence).
Clinton, N. C., Sept. 22.—More three-minute nags have been brought from under cover the past week or so, since everybody has been trying out the new race track at the fair grounds, than any one had any idea existed in Clinton. There are several fast horses in Clinton and the animal lovers are anxiously awaiting the races, which are expected to be a feature of the Sampson County fair.

The buildings being erected on the fair grounds are rapidly nearing completion, and the last of October will find Sampson ready to entertain East Carolina with one of the best fairs in the State. Hon. John E. Fowler is president of the fair association and Mr. J. A. Stewart is its secretary.

Rev. J. H. Dew, Baptist evangelist, will conduct a series of meetings in the Clinton church, beginning this coming week. Great preparation has been made for the coming of this preacher. Prayer meetings have been held in anticipation of a great spiritual awakening.

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THEATRICAL

"The Triumph of Truth" is a drama of the sea, with Cleo Madison. The sea has a mystery all its own. That the sea will hold its secret is so proverbial that it is no wonder Harvey Gates gave it one more mystery, although but a temporary one.

In the atmosphere of waves breaking over rock-bound coasts he has laid a plot of unusual interest. It is built about the fact that a girl is saved from a watery grave, but does not recover consciousness soon enough to discover the name of her real hero. Thus another has the opportunity of lying to her and saying that he is the man to whom she is indebted. In this way he hopes to gain her affection. The plan fails only because the other man returns and the truth comes out.

The part of an orphan, who is mistreated by her uncle, seems to have been made to order for Cleo Madison, so well does she fit into it.

This great two-reel drama furnishes the top of the big bill at the Bijou today. Another interesting feature is that dashing handsome Thomas Chatterton, hero of "The Secret of the Submarine," who plays opposite Cleo Madison.

Another great feature today is the current number of Animated Weekly, full, as usual, of great big things.

And still more—a great Helma and Louis comedy finishes up this big bill for the week and crowds.

At the Victoria Today

Another prediction came true. We told you yesterday morning the third show at the Victoria would be the best of the three, and it was absolutely proven so by the pleasure of those who witnessed it yesterday.

"The Haunted Station," a rip-roaring blackface comedy, gave Jack Fuquay his greatest opportunity of the week, and as the station soon he was more than satisfying from beginning to end, and especially during the last thirty minutes of the performance, kept the house in a continual uproar of laughter.

And there are other great features in connection with "The Haunted Station" that helped to make it go over as it did. One of the best specialties

becomes a dancer in a Spanish music hall. Revenge must be hers—every rule. The story itself is enough to guarantee an avenging woman is found before the plot runs its course.

TRAIN AND AUTO WRECKED
ON V. & C. S. AT LUMBERTON

Several Injured, But None Seriously, in Dangerous Smash-Up.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Lumberton, N. C., Sept. 22.—At 5 o'clock this afternoon a bad wreck occurred on the V. & C. S. railroad, at the intersection of the railroad and Elizabethtown road, in the northern part of town. A log train was running backward when an automobile driven by Mr. M. N. Folger started across the track, when the train was too close. The auto was turned completely around, the front entirely demolished. In the car with Mr. Folger was Mr. O. C. Norment. Both escaped with slight injuries. The caboose and four log cars were demolished. The conductor was in the caboose, but escaped with bruises. No one who viewed the wreck could understand why the wreck occurred when there was absolutely nothing to keep the driver from seeing the approaching train.

UNIVERSITY DAY, OCTOBER 12
Will Be Observed at Chapel Hill More Completely Than Before.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Chapel Hill, N. C., Sept. 22.—University Day—October 12—will be observed this year in a more complete manner than for many years, according to plans now being made for its observance here, throughout the State and outside the State. Alumni throughout the country will meet for speeches and reminiscences or perhaps banquets. Speakers will be sent from the University to convey greetings to bands of alumni in as many places as possible, while the celebration at Chapel Hill will partake of the nature of similar celebrations in the past.

Dr. Edwin Mims, professor of English in Vanderbilt University, is to deliver the address here this year.

GODWIN-MCCASKILL DEBATE

To be Held at Southport Next Tuesday Night—Little Enthusiasm (Special Star Correspondence.)
Southport, N. C., Sept. 22.—The Godwin-McCaskill political debate, that will be held here next Tuesday night at the court house, is expected to arouse some local enthusiasm, which at present is not visible. Curiosity will attract many, and this is hoped by local political managers to create an interest in the November election. Those wanting "hot stuff" are looking for a give-and-take affair next Tuesday, with hitting above and below the belt as fair.

GOOD WEATHER A FACTOR IN FISH AND SHRIMP BUSINESS
Both are in Thrifty Condition at Southport These September Days

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Southport, Sept. 22.—Ideal weather has prevailed here for more than a week, particularly so for those engaged in the catch of sea products. Daily, fishing steamers pass up the Cape Fear river to the factories loaded with menhaden. Also, up the Elizabeth river the motor schooners have carried loads to the Southport Fish Scrap Company. As to shrimp, the daily catches are large and those engaged in getting them are making money, the price being one dollar a bushel at the factory here. Dozier-St. George Company, who are canning shrimp, have experienced difficulty in getting all the hands that they wanted, due somewhat to children being at school, many colored children working in the picking rooms, but the company has successfully handled all shrimp brought in. The constant demand continues for shrimp. The Dozier-St. George people have shipped 500 cases of their canned product this week to northern markets, besides filling the shipping orders for fresh food shrimp, that have been sent by express daily.

Ad-itorial from the New Bon Marche

"What do you mean by Bon Marche quality," was a question asked of a member of this firm, the other day.

The Bon Marche confines its purchases solely to medium and high grade qualities of merchandise. Cheap or inferior goods are never purchased, nor do we take any chances with mushroom manufacturers, but give our business to reliable people who have the reputation for selling good merchandise.

Then, when the merchandise comes into the store, it is thoroughly inspected so that nothing is put on display until it has passed the acid test of quality and is up to the Bon Marche standard.

The two Bon Marche stores, being the largest distributors of the better grades of merchandise in North Carolina, are often given "inside" prices on quantity purchases. Therefore, you will find our prices very moderate for the grade of goods.

Watch and Wait for the Informal Opening, which will be announced soon. We will not be able to open with our new fixtures. But as soon as the Painters and Carpenters finish, and our merchandise shipments are completed, we will hold the Informal Opening, which will consist merely of throwing open our doors for business.

Later, when the new fixtures are in we will hold the formal Opening of the new store, with all the bright lights, flowers, souvenirs, etc., that go with an auspicious occasion of that sort.

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Excursion to Florida Tues., Sept. 26

Fare from	To Jacksonville, Fla.	St. Petersburg, Fla.	Ft. Myers, Fla.
Bolton, N. C.	\$7.50	\$10.50	\$11.50
Burgaw, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Chadbourne, N. C.	\$7.50	\$10.50	\$11.50
Clinton, N. C.	\$8.50	\$10.50	\$11.50
Payetteville, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Goldboro, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Jacksonville, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Jonesboro, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Laurinburg, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Maxton, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Newbern, N. C.	\$9.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Pembroke, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50
Whiteville, N. C.	\$7.50	\$10.50	\$11.50
Wilmington, N. C.	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$11.50

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BEGINS ITS FIFTIETH YEAR

With this issue, The Morning Star enters upon its fiftieth year as a daily newspaper in North Carolina, September 23rd marking the beginning of its 95th semi-annual volume. The paper is proud of its age, its place in the firmament of Wilmington enterprises and the years of promise that are before it.

We must be pardoned for the felicitous thought awakened by the entry of the paper upon the fiftieth year of its publication, yet as loyal successors to its venerable founder, we think congratulations are due to Major William H. Bernard, who lives to see his founding entering upon its 95th volume. He established The Star in 1867, when North Carolina was in the throes of Reconstruction, and in those gloomy days he hung out the Democratic banner as the hope of a State later to be redeemed by her courageous people.

The rest is all history to our people and it would be supererogation to say that The Star has held to the true faith all these years and never has veered from the course set for it by the man who made its destiny possible. We rejoice that he still is here and that almost daily he lends his presence at the office for at least a part of the day. Need it be said that we have endeavored in our own way to maintain the ideal he set for The Star nearly fifty years ago as a paper living close to the people and identified with their best interests and progress?

Whether we are succeeding as to that, it is left to the large and always loyal clientele of The Star, for it is a source of pride and gratitude that the paper's always staunch friends have at all times been its mainstay as it has forged forward, up to this dawn of its fiftieth anniversary. We can but appreciate and be grateful for the generous support of The Star's old and new friends, and here we are together on a new lap for more of life and more of success for The Star as it continues on its way.

Let us forget, The Star is the oldest daily paper in the State, and it is pleasing to announce that its prospects are such that it will keep right on being the senior member of a galaxy of its most valued and excellent contemporaries.

PIONEERING FOR WILMINGTON

Wilmington is waking up—that is, if the young men are Wilmington. As a matter of fact they are, if they will only assert themselves. The Star takes pride in the fact that they are doing that very thing, and surely the young man is coming into his own, because he is taking the initiative.

The young man is the dynamo which generates power, while initiative is the motor which gets its energized current from the dynamo and sets the machinery to going. In the young man there is vitality and strength and power and enthusiasm and when he is made to realize that initiative is one thing that he can exercise if he will, he is going to start something. The Star glories in the young fellows who have the nerve and ability to start things, and it has often pointed out that he needn't go away from home to hunt for opportunities. Why, they are right here by the score and all they need is the application of initiative—the energized motor power that makes things go with a clif.

When young men begin to feel their oats and quit lagging back on their modesty, they will get the nerve that will make them push forward. When they get in the game they play it for all it is worth, and if we are going to make Wilmington, we might as well turn the boys loose and let them have the right of way. Of course, the old fellows are still good, but they have petered out on nerve and initiative. They have become so conservative that many of them don't know a good thing when they see it. Of course, prudence is all right, but in numerous instances what is passed off as prudence is the prudish conservatism that makes a man stand around in his own light.

When a man gets too conservative, he can't get enthusiastic to save his life. He actually can become so obsessed of the idea of prudence that he loses his cud and wants to put on brakes when things get to going some. They actually knock things when they get to going and they want to sit around and figure and cipher in order to prove that something can not be done. Maybe it can't and maybe it can, but it certainly won't be done unless it is tried with good lights burning ahead to mark out the way.

We may do things according to the light as we see it. We borrow that metaphor from the mariner who steers past Hatteras or any other danger point by watching the light as it flashes from the top of the lighthouse or as the light is seen from the masts of the lightship. The ship's master steers according to the light as he sees it, but if he can't see it and won't see it and won't steer by it when it is plain enough to be seen, somebody else had better take the helm.

Of course, we have to go by the light as we see it, but if we get color blind or shut our eyes to the light and even refuse to recognize the aurora borealis, we have to let the keen-eyed, forward-looking youngster do most of the steering. Nevertheless, we must not fall down on them while they are on the job.

Enough of Wilmington has waked up to get the pioneering habit. Our observation is that nearly every one of the pioneer brigade is the Wilmingtonian who is too young to begin to grow a crop of moss on his back. They go forth to pioneer highways and good

roads, and we have recently seen them get busy and pioneer several adjacent counties in the interest of a packing house for Wilmington and Eastern North Carolina. They mobilize by motor cars and away they go as a vital propagandist force for the construction of great highways and for the establishment of a meat packing industry that will promote the development of Wilmington and encourage and develop the most resourceful territory that ever surrounded any city on the universe.

We used to hear the old-fashioned boosters get up on both feet and say that Wilmington had no back country. Of course, that was the light as they saw it, but they couldn't see it for the woods. The back country was there all right, but they thought it was only good for turpentine and lumber and razor-back pigs. Later it dawned upon them that the back country consisted of land which the thrifty agriculturalist is converting into an asset yielding clear profits of from \$100 to \$500 per acre. Why, it was once a fact that old timers gazed beyond the Cape Fear into Brunswick county and thought it was a "long, long way to Tipperary," but it was only a day or two ago that Mr. Jackson Johnson admitted in a modest and unassuming way that during this poor crop season he has netted a profit of \$221 per acre on a double-crop proposition on the generous soil of "Ole Brunswick."

The fact is, the resources lying all around us are prodigious beyond conception. It ought not to be necessary any longer to take a meat axe to folks to get them to see the light, yet some get cold feet on the light and talk as if they are afraid that it is a jack-o-lantern or a will-o-the-wisp. They have got to see the light and recognize the fact that Wilmington has the greatest back country on earth. All it needs is more people to convert it into a wealth-producing area for the building of Wilmington and the development of her tributary territory—a wealth producing asset that is lying idle for the need of settlement by a thrifty homeseeking class.

The pioneers will have to get busy on that proposition and bring about the settlement of this section. If the balance of us are not going fishing with the pioneers we certainly must get busy and cut bait for the boys. They have sailed forth in chug wagons and organized the Carolina Packing Company with an authorized capital stock of \$100,000. They have done the boot or work and they have secured the co-operation of some of the leading and substantial farmers and constructionists in eight counties. Our tributary territory sees the light because the pioneers have carried it right into all the rich counties around Wilmington. Within them are all the resources for supporting a packing house industry ten times bigger than the one projected, and if the outside sees the light the inside certainly ought to get on a step ladder and see more of it than anybody else.

The fact is, we need more pioneering. It counts, but there is enough of it to keep us busy every day and every night—except Sunday. We've got the goods, but we have got to get busy and deliver them by the wholesale. Meanwhile we must not get busy with everything else and throw down the great possibility that this port offers us to increase the export and import business of Wilmington. The deep-water Cape Fear invites us to regard it as a huge asset for the development of commerce. We must study the possibilities for exports and imports and pioneer the fine opportunities that can be plainly observed when we see the light.

We have to get busy if we want to see any kind of light and there is enough of systematic study and hustling and pioneering to keep every live man in Wilmington right on the job. There is nothing foggy about it and the only thing to it is those who are disposed to be foggy and sit around with cold feet and whiskers like those from Missouri. "Either fish or cut bait," so the pioneers can land things for Wilmington.

A NINE HUNDRED POUND HOG

A 900-pound hog and all sorts of other hogs within the packing house zone of Wilmington is meaty proof of the fact that this is the greatest hog raising section of the Nation's Garden Spot. The Star was informed a year or two ago that it ought to take a look around at New Berlin, down on the Atlantic Coast Line, in Columbus county, 18 miles from Wilmington. That is what Mr. F. A. Fennell says, for he moved from the city to New Berlin and he is happy over the change. It gives him a chance to tickle the earth and make it yield up the good things of life. Mr. Fennell is living at home and boarding at the same place, without half trying, but he refrains from bragging about anything but the New Berlin section, Capt. S. Mitchell and nearly everybody else.

Captain Mitchell is the main works of the New Berlin Lumber Company, but Mr. Fennell says the captain is proving his greatness in other ways. Captain Mitchell has something akin to a hog rank that is dominated by an elephantine animal which weighs 900 pounds. He also has 200 other fine hogs, all improved breeds, which are easily and cheaply raised in a section of country ideally suited for the hog raising industry. The captain has made a success of alfalfa growing and has secured four cuttings from his land this season. He is so well pleased that he will sow more this fall. He has a farm that grows nearly everything that is fit to grow and he is demon-

strating to the Wilmington packing house promoters that all the hogs they want can be produced almost at the doors of the plant. When we get our stock-yard market ready, farmers in ten counties can get busy with hog raising as a new means of farm income.

A CALL TO YOUNG MEN

To the Editor of The Star:
It is the opinion of the writer that the disposition on the part of our young men to neglect the exercise of citizenship is one of the dangers that threaten the future of our State and Nation. If we are to progress with the age and preserve the blood-bought freedom purchased by our fathers, the young men and boys of today must study carefully the great questions of government, the future existence of our free government bequeathed to us by our fathers.

Young man, let me appeal to you to remember that the blessings of liberty that you today enjoy, though so free to us, have been given us, stained with blood. Let me beseech you not to forget this thing. It's a weakness of man not to appreciate the free gift at its face value. The things that cost us most we appreciate least. When benefits and blessings cost us no sacrifice, we take them for granted.

Come out of the valley of indifference, selfishness and prejudice and ascend the mountains of opportunity. As you climb, look beneath your feet and you will see in the footprints left by generations gone before you the marks of toil, sacrifice—the blood stains. When in your vision you see these things, selfishness begins to recede, ambition grows and in this high, pure atmosphere you vision the heights of duty. You are large and you become fit for service. Life has a new and real meaning, for no man liveth to himself. Pleasure is not to be had in a selfish life, not even when accompanied by wealth. These satisfy for the moment. The real man is the man who serves, he who has lived this life of service to his God, his family and his state. And at the end of his journey as he lays himself down and wraps the wrapper of his couch about him, the thought that he has been of service will sweeten his last sleep.

Yes, young man, the State, church and Nation need you. The burden of these things will soon rest upon your shoulders. So get in the training camp, that you may be able to meet the difficulties, old and new. Don't shrink your duty with the threadbare excuse that in the church there are hypocrites, in your State and Nation false servants. If you want to be true, the world needs you. Study the lives of great men. Study the party records. The deeds of heroes are not found in study her record of service in the State and Nation. Investigate, read her history, free from prejudice. Weigh the good she has done against the mistakes in the scales of justice. Do like wise with the other party. Let your decision be made in the light of knowledge and not from prejudice and false assertions of ignorant and scheming politicians. The truth can be found, and justice to yourself and your fellow man demands that truth should govern. Democracy offers you promotion when deserved.

Respectfully,
Bladenboro, N. C.

CURRENT COMMENT

The Asheville Citizen takes the view that Hughes might take if he paid the Asheville Citizen to write for him. The idea of ice getting any colder when it visits a refrigerator.—Raleigh News and Observer.

We have a kick coming for the Atlantic Coast Line. The boys are rushing speedy trains and whisk our people so quickly to and from Wilmington that the Cape Fear people have almost come to the conclusion that Chadbourn is a suburb of Wilmington.—Chadbourn Herald.

The unfortunate American citizen, who at Mr. Hughes' meeting in Park, Ill., made bold to ask civilly, "What would you have done in Mr. Wilson's place?" was unceremoniously thrown into the street. It would seem that workingmen by this time should know that, without violating all the rules of etiquette, they can do nothing at Republican campaign meetings except applaud a high tariff and jump on eight-hour laws.—New York World.

The Rocky Mount Telegram also laments the fact that editors cannot please everyone, much as they would like to and declares that an article that will suit one man will mean another as mad as a hen that has just fallen into a barrel of rain water. That is very true and the scribe whose staff is of the variety that will cause no one to pay more than passing attention to it is in the class with the has-beens of the never-will-beers.—New Bern Sun-Journal.

Those young bucks of Raleigh who were "merely" visiting friends in the dormitories at the Agricultural and Mechanical College and who "only" went to school to have a little fun by having the college boys, throwing rocks through the college windows and making work for painters and carpenters generally, were treated shamefully. They "left in resentment" when a bucket of water was thrown upon them from an upper window and their feelings were further lacerated by being hauled up in a magistrate's court and fined \$10. The trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanical College will come in for public censure for having permitted visitors to the college to suffer such indignities. By way of setting matters straight the college authorities might sentence the students who threw water on the visitors to subsist for a week on extra rations and to wear decorations for meritorious service, while the magistrate who imposed the fine is censured.

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posed the outrageous fine of \$10 might be induced to remit it and let his victims off a little lighter, say on a road sentence of about six months. The Agricultural and Mechanical College is a State institution and the people will insist on the proper treatment of visitors.—Charlotte Observer.

Referring to the coming appearance of Senator Overman in the campaign, the Greensboro Record says he "delivers a strong talk and will tell what the administration has done for the people." Further, that "Overman is a great campaigner and wherever he goes he will have good houses—and what he says will carry much weight." It is true, as the Record says, that "Overman is a National character and has been a power in the Senate." Overman may not make many speeches, but his talk will make an impression wherever it is heard. The Democracy will welcome his appearance on the stump.—Charlotte Observer.

N. C. CLUB STUDIES OUTLINED

Going Deep Into "Wealth and Weal of North Carolina" at University.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Chapel Hill, N. C., Sept. 22.—The North Carolina Club of the University of North Carolina is going to make a thorough-going study this year of "Wealth and Weal in North Carolina," according to a program just announced by Prof. E. C. Branson, who directs this work in co-operation with student members. The study will fall into

three main divisions: Production of Primary Wealth, Wealth Retention, and Taxation and the Common Weal. This club meets every other Monday night during the school session, and papers are read and discussions given on the respective topics.

J. A. TERRY TRIAL UNDER WAY

Verdict of Second Degree Murder Predicted in Guilford Case.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 22.—The second day of the trial of J. A. Terry, charged with the murder of John R. Stewart, closed this afternoon with the taking of testimony still uncompleted. Dr. Albert Anderson, of Raleigh, testified today that Terry was suffering from emotional insanity and was under the double hallucination that he was being pursued and persecuted. It is predicted that the jury's verdict will be second degree murder.

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 22.—A model rest room for country women is proposed for Kinston by demonstration agents of extension service. The chamber of commerce has promised co-operation. In the rest room would be a kitchen, in which the local home demonstration worker would exhibit new stunts in the culinary art, especially in the way of canning, pickling, etc. On days when a lot of women from out of town were making use of the place, the rest room would be furnished "just like home" if home happens to be what it ought to be.



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SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother No Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family

NEW REGISTRATION IN NEW HANOVER COUNTY

Board of Elections Appoints Poll Holders and Registrars.

After thorough deliberation it is decided to break long time precedent—All Voters Will Have Chance to Register.

It was determined definitely yesterday that there will be no new registration in New Hanover county for the forthcoming election in November, thus breaking a long established precedent. However, the books will be opened at the regular polling places on October 5th and will continue open for 20 days during which time the registrars will register all voters who are eligible but whose names are not on the voting list.

It was at first thought there would be a new registration but several weeks ago the State Board of Elections sent out notices to the effect that a new registration was not considered advisable and at a meeting of the New Hanover Democratic Executive Committee last week it was recommended that there be no new registration in this county.

The only beneficial results to be secured from having an entirely new registration, it is stated, would be to get the poll books cleared of a lot of names of voters, who have either moved into other precincts or who have left the county, by the changing of ward lines in the city of Wilmington and the addition of another ward has served to complicate matters somewhat but while there may be many names on the books, which should be removed, they will not keep anyone from voting and all those who have not been registered, who are eligible to vote in the next election will have an opportunity to be registered.

At a meeting of the board of elections held on Tuesday of this week, Chairman C. W. Woodward explained that since the board of elections did not deem a new election necessary and for the further reason that the Democratic county executive committee had recommended that a new one not be called for, he would oppose such a course. However, the other members of the board, Messrs. E. Piner and William Struthers, were of the opinion that a new registration should be called for, this being in accordance with a custom of long standing to have a new registration for presidential elections.

After the meeting it was found that a new registration could not be legally called as the law requires that 20 days notice be given and also that the books shall be open for four successive Saturdays preceding the election with an allowance of a Saturday immediately preceding the election to be used for hearing challenges, if there are any. This will make it impossible to have the books this year opened on October 5th and to remain open through October 29th. This will not give sufficient time to allow for a new registration to be called, as it was only 15 days from last Tuesday until the time for the books to be opened.

At the meeting Tuesday afternoon which was called for the purpose of electing registrars and poll holders for the forthcoming election, the following were named:

First Ward—Polling place, Engine House, 4th and Campbell, Registrar, R. J. Darden; Judges, S. L. Chinias, James Elkins.

Second Ward—Polling place, Court House (down stairs); Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, D. H. Howes, Jr., W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward—Polling place, Gibson Lodge; Registrar, J. R. Davis; Judges, S. J. Ellis, Coy Hewlett.

Fourth Ward—Mills' Stables, 103 Dock street; Registrar, J. R. King; Judges, T. D. Love, Sam Reigler, Jr.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct—Polling place, Engine House, 5th and Castle; Registrar, J. E. Taylor; Judges, Geo. P. Motte, Thos. Lomon.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place, Engine House, 5th and Castle; Registrar, T. G. Landon; Judges, W. B. Savage, W. K. Ketcham.

Sixth Ward—Polling place, Mann's Store; Registrar, J. R. Mann; Judges, J. D. Edwards, W. A. Wood.

Seventh Ward—Polling place, Shepherd's Store; Registrar, Garrett Walker; Judges, George T. Smith, W. O. West.

Masonboro—Polling place, Lumsden Store (Whiskey Creek); Registrar, Blaney Piner; Judges, Walter Horne, Geo. M. Grant.

Federal Point—Polling place, Burnett's Store; Registrar, T. J. Burnett; Judges, Gary Mills, Wm. Biddle.

Winter Park—Polling place, Humphrey's Store at Crossing; Registrar, A. H. High; Judges, G. C. McIntire, E. H. Freeman.

Seagate—Polling place, Rogers' Store; Registrar, L. L. Rogers; Judges, S. Z. Melton, George Rogers.

Cape Fear—Polling place, Johnson's Store; Registrar, J. H. Johnson; Judges, E. J. Herring, J. W. Windawa.

KNOCKED DOWN BY CAR
Little Girl Injured Thursday Afternoon Between Church and Castle Streets.

The little 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Garrison, of No. 408 S. Seventh street, was knocked down by a passing street car between Church and Castle streets, late Thursday afternoon. Although the little girl was more frightened than injured, she was taken to her home and given medical attention.

The little girl together with several companions was playing in the middle of the street, and after the car, which was in charge of Motorist Piner, had stopped and started again, she made an effort to cross the track. She was not seriously injured.

To Sell Elizabeth Weems.
Yesterday's Baltimore Sun: "The steamer Elizabeth Weems, of the Baltimore and Carolina Steamship Company, was hauled on Boos Bros' railway yesterday for examination by prospective buyers, and it is thought the transaction will soon be closed. President M. L. W. Williams was on hand, and later made preparations for the transfer. While on the railway the Weems was cleaned and painted. She was formerly the Norwegian steamer Anita. President Williams has two steamers under construction for his line. The steel steamer Georgiana Weems is being built at Wilmington, Del., by Harlan & Hollingsworth, and a wooden craft, to be named Sarah Weems, is under way at the yard of M. Mitchell Davis & Son, Solomons Island, Md."

HUGHES CLUB ORGANIZED

New Hanover Republicans Organized at Meeting in Court House Last Night. About 40 in Attendance.

The Hughes National Campaign Club for Wilmington and vicinity was organized at a mass meeting in the county court house last night. Mr. D. L. Gore was chosen as president; Messrs. W. A. Cannon, R. L. Johnson, J. F. Harris, W. L. Holt and U. A. Underwood, as vice-presidents; Mr. H. S. Meredith as secretary; Mr. E. C. Hines, as assistant secretary, and Mr. J. P. Quelch as treasurer. Messrs. E. H. Freeman, S. M. King, Iredell Meares, and T. E. Wallace were named as executive committee.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman J. W. Brooks, of the New Hanover Republican Executive Committee. Upon a motion by Mr. T. E. Wallace, the chairman appointed a committee to submit a list of nominations. Messrs. T. E. Wallace, J. G. Osterman, and H. C. Twining were appointed as members of the committee.

While the committee was preparing its nomination list, Iredell Meares, Esq., Republican candidate for judge of the Superior Court from this district, made a brief speech. He began his remarks with the assertion that in his opinion North Carolina is a natural Republican State, and indicated that it would give the Republican party a handsome majority as soon as the race question could be eliminated, and the voters impressed with an even break. He launched into a denunciation of the policies and acts of the Wilson administration, paying particular attention to the diplomatic relations with England, the tariff, and "the wasteful extravagance" in connection with the public money.

Mr. Meares expressed himself as "deeply humiliated" at the way the American nation has been "made the vassal of the British government," and bitterly arraigned the President for his Mexican policy. The speaker also took a rap at Senator Overman and Congressman Ford. He said that while Mr. Bickett made an elegant speech in Wilmington a few weeks ago, he made statements that the average voter was liable to misconstrue. He closed by appealing to all those present to have their names put on the mailing list of "The Protectionist," and added that it was a good publication to read along with the Bible, in the early part of the day.

There were about 40 voters in attendance, and while they listened attentively, they did not seem to be over ardent in their vociferations.

MR. FLYLER PREACHES

Increasing Interest in Meetings at Bladen Street Methodist Church.

Rev. M. T. Flyler, pastor of Grace Methodist church, preached another strong sermon at Bladen Street Methodist church last night to a large congregation. The evangelistic meetings which began last Sunday have attracted increasing interest during the week. Rev. J. P. Pate, the pastor, has been slightly indisposed for several days, and Rev. Mr. Flyler preached for him on Thursday night also.

One of the meetings has been the song services which are held each night before the regular preaching service. There will be no preaching tonight but the usual services will be held tomorrow at 11 and 7:45.

IN RECORDER'S COURT

Linterloh Case is Postponed Until Monday Morning.

The case of Janie Weeks and Lillie Johnson, two colored women, charged with a mutual cutting affray, was postponed until Monday morning for the trial. The case was called on for trial last night but the judge, Mr. J. P. Pate, has been slightly indisposed for several days, and the trial was postponed until Monday morning.

POLICEMAN IS SUSPENDED

Councilman Committee to Investigate Conduct of Officer J. F. Jordan.

This afternoon.

Pending the results of an investigation to be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock by a committee from City Council, Policeman J. F. Jordan was suspended Thursday by Chief of Police N. J. Williams because of alleged conduct while on duty that was unbecoming an officer of the law.

The hearing this afternoon will not be public but it is understood that several witnesses will be asked to appear before the committee.

Officer Jordan emphatically denies that he has at any time been guilty of any unseemly conduct and declares that he will be able to show by reputable witnesses that the reports made to his superiors are entirely unfounded.

No publicity was given to the fact that the officer had been suspended and it did not become generally known until yesterday. The suspension was made by Chief of Police Williams after conferring with Councilman J. M. Hall in charge of the department of public safety, who advised this course after making a preliminary investigation of the reports that tended to reflect upon the conduct of the officer while he was on duty in that section of the city usually referred to as Brooklyn.

Neither Chief of Police Williams nor Councilman Hall would discuss the matter yesterday, but stated that a full investigation would be made and that the results of the finding of the committee would determine their future course. While the councilman in charge of the department of public safety and the chief of police have the right to dismiss an officer from service, he has the right, if he desires, to take his case to City Council.

Officer Jordan was suspended for a short period about 15 months ago because it was alleged that he and another officer had been intoxicated while on duty, but after an investigation he was exonerated.

FALL REUNION IN OCTOBER

Scottish Rite Masons of Valley of Wilmington Will Confer Higher Degrees at Convocation.

The regular fall convocation of the Co-Ordinate Bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, sitting in the Valley of Wilmington, Orient of North Carolina, will be held in the Masonic Temple, October 24, 25 and 26.

The official call for the reunion was issued the past week, being signed by Mr. G. C. McIntire, venerable master of Johnson Blakely Lodge of Perfection, No. 5; Mr. F. G. Rose, wise master of Cape Fear Chapter Rose Croix, No. 3; Mr. E. E. Graham, preceptor of Liberty Council of Kadoah, No. 3, and Mr. J. H. Mitchell, master of Kadoah of Wilmington Consistory, No. 4.

Among the prominent visitors expected to attend the meeting will be Mr. David Preston Byers, honorary 33rd degree, of Charlotte, and Raymond C. Dunn, Esq., venerable master of Joseph Montford Lodge of Perfection, of Knoxville.

On Tuesday, October 24th, Johnson Blakely Lodge of Perfection will confer the degrees from the fourth to the fourteenth, inclusive, and on Tuesday night Cape Fear Chapter Rose Croix will confer the degrees from the fifteenth to eighteenth inclusive.

On Wednesday, October 25th, the Council of Kadoah will confer the degrees from the nineteenth to thirtieth, inclusive. On Thursday night, October 26th, the thirty-first and thirty-second degrees will be conferred by the Wilmington Consistory.

The following committees have been appointed to make arrangements for the reunion:

Credentials—James C. Munda, K. C. C. H. chairman; S. L. Boyd, H. A. Higgins.

Candidates—Paul B. Bell, chairman; F. M. Holley and E. E. Graham.

Reception—A. S. Holden, chairman; C. C. Pinckney and J. E. Burries.

New Members—E. L. White, chairman; J. M. Byrd, W. A. Whitney, L. C. Robertson, H. W. Morris, Edwin S. Wright, Boardman, M. T. Moyer, Vineyard, W. W. Wilson, Raleigh, W. W. Parker, Lumberton; A. M. Maspin, Raleigh; F. W. Benton, Wilson; H. R. Dowell, Raleigh; Wiley J. Brown, Greenville; Daniel W. Davis, Goldsboro; John W. Draughton, Dunn; Geo. D. Fynn, Atkinson; James L. Wade, Dunn; L. N. Henderson and P. M. Williams, Wallace; E. F. Mallard, Shalotte; W. F. Patten, Calypso; L. J. Whitney and O. S. Romans, Fort Caswell; T. J. Wright, Fayetteville; C. B. Barruss, Clinton; W. C. Steele, Mt. Olive.

NEGRO KNOCKED UNCONSCIOUS

BY COLLIDING WITH CAR

Mr. M. Abeloivits Was Driving Machine and Negro Riding Bicycle.

As a result of a head-on collision between a bicycle and an automobile, at Third and Campbell streets, shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Mr. M. Abeloivits, a young colored man in the famous "Memorial" Hospital, probably fatally injured, and Mr. M. Abeloivits is at liberty under \$500 bond, charged with assault in connection with reckless driving.

According to reports of the accident, Mr. Abeloivits was driving his car along Third street, going north at Third and Campbell streets. Smith came down Campbell street, headed eastward, and crashed into the automobile head on. The head of the car, through the windshield into the tonneau of the car, the impact of his body stopping the machine. His head hit the radiator making a dent that from appearances might have been made with a hammer.

Mr. Louis Freimuth, of the fire department, who was near the place of the accident, summoned an ambulance, and placed Mr. Abeloivits under arrest, bringing him to the city hall. Mr. Abeloivits said he was on the proper side of the street, and that the negro was riding down the street with another darky. Mr. Freimuth, however, said that Abeloivits was at least 15 feet from the curb on the right side of the street, and was really on the wrong side of the street. Mr. Freimuth was of the opinion that the accident might have been avoided had he been driving his car in the proper place. Mr. Abeloivits was released upon giving a bond of \$500.

At a late hour last night, the negro was still unconscious. Attending physicians stated that no diagnosis of his condition could be made within 12 hours, and that there was a chance that there was a chance that he would never recover consciousness. His condition was expressed as serious.

NEGRO APPROPRIATES CAR

Nathaniel King Goes on Joy Ride But Meets an Officer.

Having decided after due deliberation that riding was much to be preferred to walking, and having neither an automobile nor the financial resources with which to purchase one, Nathaniel King, a colored mute, appropriated a Ford touring car from the garage of Mr. Hugh MacRae, on Market street, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and went on a joy ride.

Unfortunately, however, Nathan forgot that Mr. MacRae might object to these proceedings, and so he thought it not worth while to leave the city for his pleasure cruise. While he was exhibiting "his" car to a group of admiring friends at Eighth and Red Cross streets, Deputy Sheriff A. L. Kelly arrived on the scene and placed him under arrest. He is now occupying a cell at the county jail.

BEGIN WINTER ACTIVITIES

Rev. Edward F. Heald Will Conduct Service at St. Paul's Church.

Rev. Edw. F. Heald, who has been absent from the city for the past two weeks, will conduct service at St. Paul's Episcopal church tomorrow and from that date the usual winter activities of the parish will begin. The regular fall term of the Sunday school will commence with a rally at 9:45 a. m. when all pupils and teachers are asked to be present.

As Old Out of Wilmington

Mr. T. R. Hazard, of Verbank, N. Y., writer, Mayor F. Q. Moore has in his possession a wooden cut illustration, 7 by 13 inches in size, giving a "view of Wilmington, N. C." which shows the city in the background as it was then with ships, steamers, rafts, etc. in the foreground. The cut was engraved by Chapin, he writes, and he would like to dispose of it to some Wilmingtonian.

LOCAL CONCERNS THREATENED

Wholesale Exodus of Negro Laborers Causing Alarm Among Business Men. Agricultural Communities Invaded.

That a very serious condition has arisen in the community in consequence of the exodus of negro laborers to Northern cities, ostensibly to take the places of foreigners who have been called to the armies of their respective countries abroad, was the testimony of at least eight managers or proprietors of manufacturing and industrial plants in Wilmington, some of them going so far as to say that the exodus of negro laborers is already threatening the shutting down of their plants because of their inability to get men to operate them.

What such a condition would mean to the retail trade of the city is easily comprehensible and not only were the managers of proprietors of these industrial plants concerned, yesterday, out many of the business men exerted themselves to find if there was not some remedy for this wholesale exodus at the alluring call of the training agents who are abroad in the land with bright promises and seductive appeal to the roving disposition of the average negro.

City officials were appealed to, but managers of local plants were told that there was no law that would apply to the situation other than the rather high tax already imposed upon such agents, and some of those who began the pinch of the situation frankly said that it appeared that the methods employed in Savannah, Ga., really seemed the most effective and that method was the taking of the matter into their own hands and letting it be known that the business interests of the community would not stand for the draining of their supply of home labor.

While this method seemed drastic, it was set on by the heads of the manufacturing enterprises of the city that it appeared the only remedy open to them.

Not only are the industrial enterprises threatened, but it was learned yesterday that the agricultural communities are now also being invaded and large movements of labor from Lumberton, Fayetteville and possibly other towns and cities in the interior were scheduled for yesterday, while further inroads upon the labor supply in Wilmington are contemplated early the coming week. Many people frankly say that the condition is alarming and that if the authorities cannot find a remedy for this wholesale paralysis of local business the people themselves should act and act quickly. They point out that there is now no lack of employment for desiring labor and that it is criminal to sit idly by and see their business stopped and the negroes deluded into a long journey from home with a hard winter in a Northern climate ahead of them. While the promise of railroad transportation is quite alluring, it is noticeable that return transportation is never mentioned and the few that have found their way back to Wilmington, after a try-out of the new environment are anything but pleased with the success of their excursion.

While the condition is not peculiar to Wilmington and Eastern North Carolina, other Southern states having been involved and partially denuded of its labor, it is said that other communities have been able in a measure to protect themselves and it is to be hoped that some such solution will be reached here.

In the meantime there is no denying that the situation is alarming here and that the people are waking up to their responsibilities in the matter. Not only are the managers and proprietors of the industrial plants themselves alarmed, but the retail dealers of the city generally see in this new movement of labor and the shutting down of local enterprises a real peril.

CAPTAIN RIDLEY LEFT FOR WASHINGTON LAST NIGHT

Will Be Temporarily Assigned to the Office of General Engineer.

Captain C. S. Ridley, United States engineer, who has been in charge of the Wilmington district for the past 14 months, left last night for Washington, D. C., where he will be temporarily assigned to the office of General Black, chief of engineers. Mrs. Ridley will accompany her husband to Washington.

Captain Ridley took charge of the local engineering district in July, 1915, when Mayor H. W. Stickle was transferred to Baltimore. He has been very successful in his work in Wilmington, his greatest undertaking being the construction of the Harbor of Refuge at Cape Lookout. The building of locks and dams at King's Bluff, and Brown's Landing were also notable achievements of his administration.

It is probable that Captain Ridley will enter the next class at School of Engineers at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Captain Mattheson has assumed charge of the canalization work, while Major Waldron has assumed command as district engineer.

SCOUT LEADERS ORGANIZE

Efforts Will Be Made to Enlarge Annual Encampment at Lake Waccamaw.

In order to facilitate and improve the work of the scout leaders in Wilmington a Scoutmasters' Association has been organized in the city, with Scout Commissioner Odie B. Hinnant as president and Scoutmaster William T. Murphy as secretary.

Plans are on foot for the enlargement of the annual encampment of Boy Scouts, at Lake Waccamaw, and it is expected that every troop in Eastern Carolina will participate in the next encampment. The local scout leaders attending the organization meeting were: Scout Commissioner Odie B. Hinnant, Scoutmasters E. E. Reynolds, Troop No. 9: B. B. Cameron (acting), No. 6, and H. E. O'Keefe, Ben Houston and K. B. Knudson, unassigned.

PLANS FOR OPENING

City Schools to Begin Session October 1st.

With the return of Superintendent J. J. Blair from High Point, where he spent the summer, the schools are rapidly taking shape for the opening of the city schools on October 2. Many of the teachers who have been spending the summer away from Wilmington, have returned and are now planning for the opening day.

Mr. Blair says that it is highly important for the children to be present on the opening day. It is expected that the attendance this year will surpass all previous records. Announcements as to examinations for admission and information for new pupils will be made later.

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Condensed Statement to the Corporation Commission of the Condition of

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Company

at the Close of Business on September 12th, 1916.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
CASH	\$ 288,166.92	CAPITAL	\$ 100,000.00
LOANS	2,518,404.85	SURPLUS	200,000.00
REAL ESTATE	2,300.00	UNDIVIDED PROFITS	90,978.89
BUILDING	50,000.00	DISCOUNTS UNEARNED	10,000.00
STOCKS	8,800.00	BUILDING RESERVE	11,000.00
BONDS	25,998.80	RESERVED FOR DIVIDEND	
INVESTED TRUST FUNDS	\$ 7,900.00	DUE OCT 1	4,000.00
		DIVIDENDS UNPAID	65.50
		DEPOSITS	2,815,177.68
TOTAL	\$5,931,216.97	TOTAL	\$5,931,216.97

I, J. L. Williams, Cashier of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JNO. LEWIS WILLIAMS, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
N. B. RANKIN,
J. V. GRAINGER,
JNO. D. BELLAMY, JR.,
Directors.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 16th day of September, 1916.

C. S. GRAINGER, Notary Public.

TO SPEAK IN NEW HANOVER

Congressman Hannibal L. Godwin Will Deliver Address at Wrightsboro on Monday Night.

Congressman Hannibal L. Godwin, who begins his joint debates with his Republican opponent, A. L. McCaskill, Esq., at Town Creek on Tuesday afternoon, will arrive in Wilmington Monday and will make an address on the political questions of the day at Wrightsboro on Monday night at 8 o'clock. This will be the first address that Congressman Godwin has made in New Hanover since his campaign for re-nomination last summer, and his many friends in the county are planning to give him a very cordial welcome.

Congressman Godwin will be accompanied to Wrightsboro by several prominent local Democrats and it is expected that there will be a big crowd on hand. Congressman Godwin is at his home in Dunn this week resting up for his several weeks of strenuous campaigning with his Republican opponent.

Congressman Godwin will go to Town Creek from Wilmington Tuesday and it is probable that there will be a number of Democrats and Republicans to go over to attend the opening of the joint debates. The speaking at Town Creek will be at 5 o'clock and Tuesday night at 7 o'clock the two candidates will speak at Southport.

SIXTH IN AUTO CENSUS
Wilmington Has 214 Fewer Cars Than Charlotte.

According to the official list of automobiles in North Carolina, which was recently issued, Wilmington ranks sixth in the number of cars housed within her limits. The official list shows Wilmington to be the home station of 536 cars. Charlotte, Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Asheville and Raleigh rank as the first five in the order named.

While Charlotte with her 900 cars has a safe lead over her nearest competitor Guilford county ranks Mecklenburg as a county. This margin is due to a large extent to the fact that High Point and other towns of considerable size lie within the limits of Guilford county. In regard to the total capital invested, Winston-Salem takes the palm.

Durham ranks just after Wilmington with \$72. Yancey and Mitchell counties, with three each, are the booties counties. Clay has only five, but they are all of a popular type. Throughout the State as a whole the cheaper cars predominate the higher priced ones by a safe margin.

Specials for Saturday

Men's and Young Men's Suits at \$9.95 and \$14.95

Never have we shown better suits at the price—not even when wool was worth only one-half as much as it is today.

For \$9.95 we feature for Saturday suits made from all-wool worsted, in plain and fancy weaves; all-wool plain blue serges and all-wool cassimeres. Every suit well tailored and will stand the hardest wear.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bullard, of Boardman, were guests last night at the Orton.

Southport News: "Mr. J. B. Ruark and daughter, Miss Mary, spent Sunday in Wilmington."

Mr. and Mrs. B. West, of Camp Glenn, were in the city yesterday, guests of The Wilmington.

Mrs. H. C. Irwin and Carson Irvin Sims, of Charlotte, were guests at the Orton last night.

Mrs. George Boylan will sing a solo at the morning service at Trinity Methodist church tomorrow.

Miss Maggie Murphy, of Buraw, arrived in the city yesterday to spend several days with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Pifer, of Harrisburg, Va., arrived yesterday to spend several weeks in the city with friends.

Mrs. Geo. S. Browne and two children have returned home after spending the summer in the western part of the State.

Miss Augusta Boykin, who has been visiting friends in Lynchburg, Va., and Hamlet, N. C., has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. J. C. Novels, of Elm City, has been summoned to Wilmington on account of the illness of her niece, Mrs. T. F. McAllister, who, her many friends will regret to learn, is no better.

Miss Gladys Brown, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, will also be among the number of young ladies who will attend Fasnacht college for girls at Hendersonville, from the Eastern part of North Carolina.

Rev. Dr. John M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who has been spending his vacation in West Virginia, returned home yesterday and will occupy his pulpit tomorrow. Mrs. Wells will remain for several weeks longer.

It should have been stated in yesterday's Star that the recital to be given by Miss Anna Graham Harris, assisted by Mr. John F. Harris, Jr., and Mr. W. G. Robertson, in the Academy of Music on October 2nd will be for the benefit of the Catherine Kennedy home in this city.

Among the popular members of the young people here who will leave for school in the next few days are: Miss Jane MacMillan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. MacMillan, Jr.; Miss Harriet Bellamy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Bellamy; Miss Elizabeth Skelding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Skelding; and Miss Miriam McClammy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McClammy. They go to Hendersonville, 26 miles south of Asheville, to enter Fasnacht college for girls, which opens on the 26th. Fasnacht is a very select school and limits its boarding pupils to 60.

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 22.—One of the biggest social events of the fall season in this section is planned as the "marshals' dance" to be given on Friday night, October 6th, at one of the culminating events of Rocky Mount's maiden fair. The spacious Fenner warehouse, which affords one of the largest dance halls and attractive floors for the followers of the tango, is to be tastefully and attractively decorated for this occasion, and already scores of members of the younger society in this section are making engagements for this event.

EDITOR KELLY, OF CHADBOURN.
MARRIED AT WAXHAW, N. C.
Chadbourn, N. C., Sept. 22.—Mr. Otis C. Kelly, editor of the Chadbourn Herald, and Miss Mary Viola Plyler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Plyler, of Waxhaw, were married in that town Monday evening, being quite a surprise to the editor's many friends in this community. The bride was one of Waxhaw's most charming and popular young women.

Mr. Kelly left Chadbourn on the early train Saturday morning ostensibly to visit his people at Sanford, and none but one or two of his most intimate associates had even the most remote inkling of the fact that the trip was being made for another and altogether different purpose. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Robertson, of the Waxhaw Presbyterian church and pastor of the bride, in the presence of only her immediate family and one or two intimate friends. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Kelly boarded the eastbound train from Waxhaw to Wilmington, where they spent a couple of days at the Orton Hotel before proceeding on to Chadbourn, where the groom, who is a native of Lee county, is the editor of the Herald.

NEED ANOTHER TEACHER
Winter Park School Meeting Requests Additional Teacher.

At a meeting of the friends and patrons of the Winter Park school district held at the school Thursday night, which was attended by more than 50 persons, it was unanimously voted that a fourth teacher is very necessary to take care of the increased enrollment, especially as the pupils are very widely distributed through the various grades.

There are now 122 pupils attending the school, and for this large number speakers declared that three teachers were entirely too few. The meeting was presided over by Mr. George C. Jackson. It was decided to request the Board of Education to take early action on the matter of providing the additional teacher, and a resolution was passed to this effect.

Mr. "Possum" Surges Leading.
Mr. "Possum" Surges, who is chief dispenser of soft drinks at Warren's, is leading in the voting contest for the ugliest man in the city, which is being conducted by the Loyal Boy's Club, and his friends expect him to win the prize, a pretty gentleman's ring. They are bringing in the votes rapidly now. "Judge" G. W. Borenemann, who declares that his name was entered by an enemy but that he proposed to turn it to good advantage, is running a close second in the merry race for honors.

AUTUMN ARRIVES TODAY

At 4:22 This Morning Summer bids Wilmington Farewell—No Marked Change in Temperature.

If you have not already done so, you must dig down in the basement today and see how the old furnace has been spending the summer months. Then, too, you must greet the coal man with a smile, for there is the probability of a long hard winter to think of, and coal is going to be rather dear. And last, but not least, prepare to bid a seven months' farewell to those boon companions of the summer days—your palm beaches and cool clothes.

The reason for these things is quite simple, though at first thought you might think them simply awful. If you will consult your almanac carefully you will find that this morning, at 4:22 a. m., to the exact, Miss Autumn will be ushered in with all the garnishments of Indian summer. It means that the good old summer of 1916 and all its attending glories, including the pesky sand fly and the fickle summer girl, to say nothing of the sunburned baseball players, are now members of the passing show.

Col. Switzer, who has tyrannized us for the past three months, will bow in submission before his great enemy, General Jack Frost, though doubtless he will still hold on tenaciously for a few more weeks. The eternal feminine will now lure their masculine friends from the seashore and the mountain resorts, and the Knight of the diamond in spikes and spangles will give way to the huskier gridiron warrior in moleskin and nose guard.

If you have not already ascertained this fact from your almanac or calendar you had better do it right away, for if you don't, autumn might slip in unawares, for the weather man says that the only change in weather conditions that will mark the passing of summer, will be a slight rise in temperature.

Generally fair weather will prevail for a few more days at least, and everybody will have time to prepare for Queen Autumn before she emphasizes her presence, with her annual equinoctial gale. So au revoir, old summer, you know that absence makes the heart grow fonder, and you will meet with a warm welcome when you come again next June, with your flowers, brides and sweet girl graduates.

One Negro Woman Cuts Another.
Dancing is usually the chief diversion at a hall at Eleventh and Campbell streets, run by James Blakeley, colored, but last night Viola Southern, colored, likewise introduced a little novelty by using a knife on one Rosa King, who had to be taken to the hospital to have the wound treated. Blakeley didn't fancy such "doings" and hied forth to the police station to have a warrant sworn out. The Southern woman realizing that an officer might be sent for her, saved the police that trouble by showing up at the station house shortly afterwards. She spent the night in the city prison.

PROSPERITY IN THE WEST
With High-Priced Wheat, Farmers Have Plenty of Money.

(From the Washington Post.)
"Although the winter crop of wheat in the Western states are harvested under fairly good weather conditions, wheat was at a critical stage during July and August, notwithstanding the fact that reports from different sections were conflicting," said R. W. Case, a farmer of Kansas, at the Raleigh. In nearly every wheat state in the Union the acreage was reduced this year, an dthe harvest over most of the territory was below the average. The yield, however, is of a very good quality. Spring wheat was attacked by rust during the middle of July, but the damage was not as serious as we thought at first. I understand that the Canadian crop will be above the average, but rust was spreading throughout the North American wheat belt. The United States, and the Canadian yield may share the fate of the crop on this side of the line.

"It is true that the food crops in general are not up to the standard nor as abundant as in some years, but they are likely to be fairly adequate to our needs. Pigs, cattle and sheep are bringing high prices, and wool is very high, owing to the embargo upon the product by Great Britain, and the tremendous consumption by the European armies."

"Farmers in my part of the country are exceedingly prosperous. Plenty of money is in circulation, and the demand for farm products both here and abroad is encouraging. If the present wave of prosperity continues throughout the winter months, the agricultural population will be better off next year than in many years."

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Immanuel Presbyterian church, Front and Queen streets.—The morning service will be conducted by Mr. E. B. Johnson at 11 o'clock. Preaching in the evening at 8 by Rev. John E. Wells, D. D. Sunday school in the morning at 11. Christian Endeavor meeting Tuesday evening at 8. Ladies' Aid Society Tuesday evening at 8. Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. The members are expected to attend. Visitors welcome.

Acme Presbyterian church, Rev. J. S. Groves, pastor.—The pastor will preach Sunday morning at 11 and in the evening at 7:30. A cordial invitation is given to all to attend. A splendid Sunday school is kept up by this church. Bring the children.

Bethany Presbyterian church—Services tomorrow morning at 11. Sunday school at 3:30. Christian Endeavor Society at 8 in the evening. The public are cordially invited to attend the services.

Delgado Presbyterian church—Services tomorrow afternoon at 3:30, conducted by the pastor. Midweek service Thursday at 8:45. Sunday school at 10:15. Members of the neighborhood are earnestly invited to attend the services.

Winter Park Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor.—Services Sunday evening at 8, conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 4:30. Midweek service Wednesday evening at 8. Visitors will find a hearty welcome at the services.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor.—Sabbath school in the morning at 9:45. Preaching service in the morning at 11. Junior Christian Endeavor at 4 in the afternoon. Senior Christian Endeavor at 8. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. At 4 in the afternoon a mass meeting for men of the city will be held in the Memorial Hall. Rev. J. J. Hurt, D. D., will deliver an address. The public is cordially invited to all services.

Pearson Memorial Presbyterian church, East Wilmington, Rev. W. H. Keelling, pastor.—Sunday school in the morning at 10:30. Preaching at 11:30. Junior Christian Endeavor at 7:30 in the evening. Senior Christian Endeavor at 8. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8.

Harnett Street Mission, Eighth and Harnett streets, Rev. W. M. Baker, evangelist in charge.—Sunday school in the morning at 9:30. Preaching every fourth Sunday.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. E. M. Nance, of Fair Bluff, was among those registered at The Wilmington yesterday.

—Among the North Carolina arrivals at the Orton yesterday were: Theo. F. Melnhart, Greensboro; C. J. McDaniel, Charlotte; J. B. Jones, Fair Bluff; G. L. Hyman, Scotland, N. C.

—Mr. Henry G. Pennell, Southern sales agent of the Lebanon Valley Iron and Steel Co., Lebanon, Pa., with headquarters in Atlanta, Ga., is here for a few days business trip and as always is being cordially welcomed by his host of friends in Wilmington where he formerly resided.

LOCAL DOTS.

—A deed was filed for record yesterday by which Bessie B. Todd and husband, O. E. Todd, transfer to W. D. Caldwell and wife, for \$100 and other considerations, lot on the south side of Dock street, 111 feet west of 15th St., 35 by 90 feet in size.

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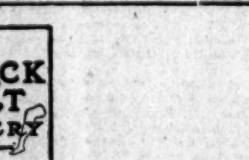


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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON UNDERGOES DECLINE WEEK'S REVIEW OF COTTON NEW MAXIMUMS IN STOCKS

Early Advance Attracted Heavy Realizing—General List Barely Steady at 11 to 14 Points Loss.

New York, Sept. 22.—An early advance attracted heavy realizing in the cotton market today, January selling off from 16.40 to 16.11 and closing at 16.12. The general list closed barely steady at a net decline of 11 to 14 points.

The market opened firm at an advance of nine to 17 points in response to higher Liverpool cables and a renewal of yesterday's buying movement. December sold at 16.32 on the call and March at 16.50, while the advice carried January up to within eight points of the high record of the season. There was a general disposition to realize profits for over the week-end, and selling increased following rumors that a prominent Southern statistical bureau estimated the condition of the crop as over September 2 and 41 per cent covered with a report of 42.7 toward the end of August.

The market weakened with prices selling back to about last night's close before the end of the morning session. Slight rallies followed on covering, but the market eased off again and was unsettled during the afternoon with selling encouraged by the easier ruling of New Orleans, the rapid increase reported in stocks at interior points for the week, and the comparatively light exports. The break carried December off to 16.01 and March to 16.25, or about 25 to 30 points below the high level of the morning and the close was within a point or two of the best.

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The advance during the earlier part of the week was encouraged by bullish mid-month crop reports, the failure of hedge selling to develop on a more important scale and the appearance of continued trade buying on moderate setbacks. Much of the selling on the decline of about one-half cent a pound which had followed the advance to 15 1/2 at the beginning of the month, had been based on expectations of increased southern offerings as a result of continued rapid ginning and the steady ruling of Southern spot markets undoubtedly started covering. The demand seemed to subside as prices approached the previous high level today, however, and an easier technical position doubtless figured in the closing reaction. Of the two private crop reports issued early in the week, one made the condition 61 per cent indicating a deterioration of 3.7 for the first half of the month, while the other was 59.4, or a falling off of about 5 per cent for the month of September. These reports strengthened predictions of a bullish October bureau report but there were rumors to the effect that preliminary returns to a Southern authority indicated a falling off of less than 2 per cent, which suggested that there had been some improvement in the crop during the last few days. Southern advances were indicated by rapid progress with ginning, and stocks of cotton at counted interior towns showed an increase of 116,000 bales compared with 73,000 last year. Reports of a slightly easier turn in ocean freight rates for immediate shipment led to expectations of large clearances for the balance of the month and domestic mills have been reported large buyers in the South.

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Almost from the outset the movement was led by United States Steel, which scored an extreme gain of 4 1/4 points to the unprecedented price of 114 1/8 and constituted about 20 per cent of the day's business.

New maximums were also made by Anaconda Copper at 56 7/8, Utah Copper at 93, Inspiration copper at 64 3/4, Central Leather at 69 3/4 and Stutz Motor, a new comer on the board, at 74. Trading differed from that of the last two days in that little irregularity was perceptible at any time. The movement was one of almost steady advances, although rails sold off quite generally at the close. Prior to that time New York Central, Reading and Canadian Pacific had shown gains of 28 points each with a point or more for Union Pacific, St. Paul, Coalers and some of the minor roads.

Equipment, shipping shares, sugars, petroleum, with Texas Company up seven points, helped to swell the enormous total. Unclassified shares augmented the number of different issues dealt in, these exceeding any session of the last three weeks. Realizing sales and short selling were almost continuous, but their effort was almost negligible.

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Studebaker Corp. 131 1/2
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Southern Railway System 25
Southern Railway, pfd. 68 1/2
Tennessee Copper 24
Texas Co. 22 1/2
Texas and Pacific 11 1/2
Union Pacific 107 1/2
United Fruit 143
United States Rubber 69
United States Steel, pfd. 112 1/2
Utah Copper 93 1/2
Virginia-Car. Chem. 44 1/2
Va. Iron, Coal and Coke 49 1/2
Wabash, Ltd. ("B") 28 1/2
Western Union 101 1/2
Westinghouse Electric 104 1/2
Kennecott Copper 50 1/2
American Zinc, pfd. 78

Chicago, September 22.—Hogs—Strong, 6 to 10c above yesterday's average. Bulk, 10.25 to 11.05; light, 10.00 to 11.10; mixed, 10.00 to 11.15; heavy, 9.85 to 11.15; rough, 9.50 to 10.10; pigs, 6.75 to 9.90.

Cattle—Slow. Native beef cattle, 6.50 to 11.30; western steers, 6.00 to 9.25; stockers, 4.60 to 7.50; cows and heifers, 3.50 to 9.20; calves, 5.50 to 13.00.

Sheep—Slow. Western, 4.85 to 9.50; ewes, 3.80 to 9.90; lambs, 6.75 to 10.65.

DRY GOODS MARKET.
New York, September 22.—Cotton goods were very firm and active today. Yarns sold at record prices. Colored cottons sold in a large way for future delivery. Jobbers were very active. Domestic goods sold freely at higher prices. South American wools were high and feverish. Dresses and coats were bought liberally from ready to wear manufacturers, while suits failed to do as well as usual.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.
New York, September 22.—Beaves—Export, 5.00 to 5.50; bulls, 6.00 to 7.00; cows, 5.50 to 6.75; calves, 6.00 to 6.50; 14 to 16; 15 to 16; 16 to 17; 17 to 18; 18 to 19; 19 to 20; 20 to 21; 21 to 22; 22 to 23; 23 to 24; 24 to 25; 25 to 26; 26 to 27; 27 to 28; 28 to 29; 29 to 30; 30 to 31; 31 to 32; 32 to 33; 33 to 34; 34 to 35; 35 to 36; 36 to 37; 37 to 38; 38 to 39; 39 to 40; 40 to 41; 41 to 42; 42 to 43; 43 to 44; 44 to 45; 45 to 46; 46 to 47; 47 to 48; 48 to 49; 49 to 50; 50 to 51; 51 to 52; 52 to 53; 53 to 54; 54 to 55; 55 to 56; 56 to 57; 57 to 58; 58 to 59; 59 to 60; 60 to 61; 61 to 62; 62 to 63; 63 to 64; 64 to 65; 65 to 66; 66 to 67; 67 to 68; 68 to 69; 69 to 70; 70 to 71; 71 to 72; 72 to 73; 73 to 74; 74 to 75; 75 to 76; 76 to 77; 77 to 78; 78 to 79; 79 to 80; 80 to 81; 81 to 82; 82 to 83; 83 to 84; 84 to 85; 85 to 86; 86 to 87; 87 to 88; 88 to 89; 89 to 90; 90 to 91; 91 to 92; 92 to 93; 93 to 94; 94 to 95; 95 to 96; 96 to 97; 97 to 98; 98 to 99; 99 to 100; 100 to 101; 101 to 102; 102 to 103; 103 to 104; 104 to 105; 105 to 106; 106 to 107; 107 to 108; 108 to 109; 109 to 110; 110 to 111; 111 to 112; 112 to 113; 113 to 114; 114 to 115; 115 to 116; 116 to 117; 117 to 118; 118 to 119; 119 to 120; 120 to 121; 121 to 122; 122 to 123; 123 to 124; 124 to 125; 125 to 126; 126 to 127; 127 to 128; 128 to 129; 129 to 130; 130 to 131; 131 to 132; 132 to 133; 133 to 134; 134 to 135; 135 to 136; 136 to 137; 137 to 138; 138 to 139; 139 to 140; 140 to 141; 141 to 142; 142 to 143; 143 to 144; 144 to 145; 145 to 146; 146 to 147; 147 to 148; 148 to 149; 149 to 150; 150 to 151; 151 to 152; 152 to 153; 153 to 154; 154 to 155; 155 to 156; 156 to 157; 157 to 158; 158 to 159; 159 to 160; 160 to 161; 161 to 162; 162 to 163; 163 to 164; 164 to 165; 165 to 166; 166 to 167; 167 to 168; 168 to 169; 169 to 170; 170 to 171; 171 to 172; 172 to 173; 173 to 174; 174 to 175; 175 to 176; 176 to 177; 177 to 178; 178 to 179; 179 to 180; 180 to 181; 181 to 182; 182 to 183; 183 to 184; 184 to 185; 185 to 186; 186 to 187; 187 to 188; 188 to 189; 189 to 190; 190 to 191; 191 to 192; 192 to 193; 193 to 194; 194 to 195; 195 to 196; 196 to 197; 197 to 198; 198 to 199; 199 to 200; 200 to 201; 201 to 202; 202 to 203; 203 to 204; 204 to 205; 205 to 206; 206 to 207; 207 to 208; 208 to 209; 209 to 210; 210 to 211; 211 to 212; 212 to 213; 213 to 214; 214 to 215; 215 to 216; 216 to 217; 217 to 218; 218 to 219; 219 to 220; 220 to 221; 221 to 222; 222 to 223; 223 to 224; 224 to 225; 225 to 226; 226 to 227; 227 to 228; 228 to 229; 229 to 230; 230 to 231; 231 to 232; 232 to 233; 233 to 234; 234 to 235; 235 to 236; 236 to 237; 237 to 238; 238 to 239; 239 to 240; 240 to 241; 241 to 242; 242 to 243; 243 to 244; 244 to 245; 245 to 246; 246 to 247; 247 to 248; 248 to 249; 249 to 250; 250 to 251; 251 to 252; 252 to 253; 253 to 254; 254 to 255; 255 to 256; 256 to 257; 257 to 258; 258 to 259; 259 to 260; 260 to 261; 261 to 262; 262 to 263; 263 to 264; 264 to 265; 265 to 266; 266 to 267; 267 to 268; 268 to 269; 269 to 270; 270 to 271; 271 to 272; 272 to 273; 273 to 274; 274 to 275; 275 to 276; 276 to 277; 277 to 278; 278 to 279; 279 to 280; 280 to 281; 281 to 282; 282 to 283; 283 to 284; 284 to 285; 285 to 286; 286 to 287; 287 to 288; 288 to 289; 289 to 290; 290 to 291; 291 to 29

STRIKE IS CALLED BY EIGHTY UNIONS IN NEW YORK CITY

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penitents, decorators, leather good workers, cigar makers, united hat makers, cooper, dock carpenters, printers, cooks, retail coke workers, web pressmen, bookkeepers, stenographers and accountants, sandal makers, teamsters, journey men, tailors, cutters, theatrical spotlight workers.

New York city members of the state assembly and senate will hold a meeting Monday to take action on the question of urging a special session of the legislature to consider the strike situation. Legislation to compel arbitration in industrial disputes will be considered at the meeting. It was announced.

**CENTRAL FEDERATED UNION
VOTES TO RATIFY STRIKE**
New York, Sept. 22.—Delegates to the Central Federated Union, representing 125,000 workers, met in a special session Monday night to ratify the strike called for next Wednesday by Union labor leaders. This action followed a similar step taken several days ago by the representatives of 200,000 members of the United Hebrew Trades.

The vote was taken after the delegates had heard a report from the conference of labor leaders which authorized the call, and speeches in favor of a general suspension of work.

Among the trades reported at the meeting were bakers, milk wagon drivers and several branches of the garment industry. It was announced that the cutters in the ladies' tailoring trade have authorized their officers to call them out. This will mean, it is said, that 60,000 dress makers and ladies' tailors will be unable to work because of the lack of cutters. Many women from the garment industries were present and took part in the speeches and in the vote.

Ernest Bohm, secretary of the Central Federated Union, one of the speakers, criticized the action of the police, the attitude of Mayor Mitchell and the public service commission.

BATTLESHIP MICHIGAN BADLY DAMAGED BY EXPLOSION

Arrives in Hampton Roads and Sails Later for Philadelphia.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 22.—The U. S. S. Michigan, badly damaged by the explosion of the muzzle of one of her 12 inch guns while engaged in target practice on the Southern Drill Grounds, arrived in Hampton Roads today. Late in the afternoon, after transferring one man, Robert C. Cooper, injured in the accident, to the local hospital and taking on a small boat the battleship taking on a small boat, the battleship delphia navy yard, where she will undergo repairs.

Eighteen feet of the enormous gun was blown away by the explosion and, it is reported, the foremast and crew's gallery of the big fighting ship damaged and weakened. Other minor damage about the deck was also sustained.

EVIDENCE IN CASE OF THE STEAMER ATTUALITA IS HEARD

Italian Government Claims the Vessel Should Be Released.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 22.—In the district Federal court today Judge Edmund F. Waller heard the evidence submitted that the Italian steamer Attualita, held under libel proceedings, had been requisitioned by the Italian government and is therefore subject to such proceedings. Final arguments in the case will be heard tomorrow.

The release of the Attualita is being resisted by the owner of the Greek steamer Mina who brought the libel, alleging that the Mina was sunk in a collision early in August in the Mediterranean and that the accident was due to faulty navigation and carelessness on the part of the Attualita's commander.

WILL SETTLE CASE OF THE TUBANTIA AFTER THE WAR

German and Dutch Governments Reach An Agreement.

Berlin, Sept. 22 (via wireless).—The German and Dutch governments have come to an agreement to submit to an international committee of investigation, after the war, on the question involved in the sinking of the Dutch steamship Tubantia.

"This decision," says the Overseas News Agency announcement, "was taken in the interest of friendly, neighborly relations."

PHILADELPHIA SELECTED

Triennial Conclave of Knights Templar There in 1919.

Philadelphia, Sept. 22.—Philadelphia was chosen as the site for the 1919 triennial conclave of the Knights Templar at a meeting of the conclave committee here today. The tentative selection of this city was made at the conclave this year in Los Angeles. Lee S. Smith, grand master of the order, declared today that the 1919 conclave will be the biggest in the history of the order and that at least 50,000 Knights Templar will be in the parade.

ANOTHER BIG SHOP AT SPENCER

Enterprise Second Only to Southern Shop Already There.

Salisbury, N. C., Sept. 22.—The Southern Railway Company is to erect another large shop building at Spencer, according to an official announcement made here today. The structure, which will be of steel and concrete, 600 feet long and 110 feet wide, will have facilities for making heavy repairs on cars. This is the second largest building enterprise in the history of Spencer.

\$500,000 SHIP YARD PLANT

Capital Stock of Company at Tampa, Fla., to be Increased.

Tampa, Fla., Sept. 22.—Ernest Khrushchev, president of the Tampa Foundry and Machine Company, announced here today that his concern will increase its capital stock at once and commence the erection of a ship yard plant to cost \$500,000. The steamship Poughkeepsie, a 2,000 ton all steel ship, building for a New York company, will be launched here tomorrow.

London, Sept. 22.—A German seaplane flew over Dover and dropped three bombs. The missiles caused no casualties, according to an official announcement. The hostile seaplane was chased away by anti-aircraft guns.

Berlin, Sept. 22, (by wireless).—The admiralty announced today that a hostile transport was sunk in the Mediterranean on September 17 by a German submarine.

TO MAKE SHIPPING RULES MORE RIGID

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with regard to shipping documents. They declare the practice of documenting the handling of such papers by passing them through the censor's office in special marked packets already in use for the purpose of the principal causes of complaint set forth in the American protest.

AUTHOR MOODY'S WIDOW RUNS A FOOD FACTORY.

At Home She Gathers in Her Salon the Literati of Chicago.

("Perry Shippen," in Philadelphia Ledger.)
A friend who has just returned from a visit to Chicago tells me that one of the most interesting social figures she found in that city was Mrs. William Vaughn Moody, the widow of the author of "The Great Divide." It would seem that she has become the head of the "warme Delicacies Association," which has a branch establishment in London.

Its motto is "Whose bread I eat, his song I sing."
Mrs. Moody runs a factory. The manner in which she runs her business adjusts it to the requirements of her art life is truly unique. Her own home is her office. All orders go there. There she has her clerical force. She does not cook in her own house, but when she entertains, the food comes from the factory. Her home is an attractive, old-fashioned building, fitted with the work of her artist friends, which is for sale if wanted. She has a salon, entertaining largely principal artists and literati. In one of the two large rooms used for the purpose is a hanging divan or upholstered canvas hammock, around which are sofas and easy chairs. A waiter comes in and sets tables in front of different groups and serves bullion, croquettes and other concoctions. My friend remembered with gratitude a certain dish of chicken and shrimp, with a coupon of chicken, which left a lasting impression upon her gastronomic memory. There were salads, ice cream, cake, fruit and so on. Guests were not asked at any particular hour, but hardly ever before 7. Indeed, they dropped in during the evening, and when they came were served.

Meantime you might wander into another room and listen to music, and you might return and get your coffee. A waiter comes in and sets tables. There might be 10 or 15 or 20 persons at once. They kept going and coming. There were artists, or writers, or dancers. One might meet Mr. Lindsey, the author of "The Congo," and of "The Santa Fe Trail"; his work is as original as that of Masters of "Spoon River Anthology" fame. The editor of the Chicago "Poetry" Magazine might be succeeded by the sculptor Fogel or by a famous book-binding agent.

TO LESSEN WASTE OF COAL

Late Sir William Ramsay's Plan for Mining With Fire.

(From the Columbia State.)

The recent death of Sir William Ramsay, discoverer of argon and other rare atmospheric gases, revives interest in his novel plan for lessening the appalling waste of Great Britain's limited coal supply. He conceived the idea of starting fires in coal seams at the bottom of boreholes and then collecting the gases that would be slowly diffused and brought to the surface. These gases would serve both for domestic heating and for power generation. The expense for heating would be only a small fraction of the present, and the cost of electricity for factories, railways and lighting would be reduced to one-fifth and probably to one-tenth of that of today. The economies to be brought about by this plan, it was believed, would lengthen out the life of the coal fields almost indefinitely. Besides the saving in fuel there would be a great saving in labor, and a few mechanics at the mines would take the place of many miners, while the distribution of the fuel or its energy would be effected by a smaller number of men.

ALL ON BOARD AUXILIARY SCHOONER PANAMA DROWNED

Vessel Burned in Upper Waters of Gulf of California.

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 22.—The auxiliary schooner Panama has been burned in the upper waters of the Gulf of California, with the loss of all on board, according to Captain Blair, of the schooner Freda, which arrived here today. The dead include Captain Frank Pasquel, his wife, Engineer Charles Leddick, and three American seamen. According to Blair the fire started from the explosion of the gasoline cooking stove and all on board were drowned when the flames forced them to jump overboard.

RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES ARE VALUED HIGHLY

Hungarian Premier Says Ambassador Will be Named in Due Time.

Amsterdam, via London, Sept. 22.—Premier Tisza, replying in the Hungarian house of deputies to a question concerning the vacancy in the post of Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States, according to dispatches received here from Budapest, replied: "I can assure the house that all competent authorities in the monarchy set great value on the relations with the United States. In due time we shall find a way for an appropriate settlement of the matter."

SHIPS IN COLLISION

Two Foreign Vessels Brought Into Newport News for Repairs.

Newport News, Va., Sept. 22.—The British steamer Brabant and the Norwegian steamer Stensland, slightly damaged in a collision off the Virginia capes this morning, came into port tonight to go into the shipyard for repairs. Men from the ships said that they fouled each other in the heavy fog and on which ship the blame for the accident rests cannot be ascertained.

CAPTAIN JOHN MAXWELL

Veteran of Three Wars Dies in Richmond at Age of 84.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 22.—Capt. John Maxwell, aged 84, a native of Scotland and a veteran of the Crimean, Confederate and Spanish wars, is dead in his home here of old age. He won the Victoria cross in the Crimea. As a Confederate naval officer, he participated in the development of the torpedo.

HIDDENITE, N. C., Sept. 22.—Most of

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(St. Nicholas.)

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